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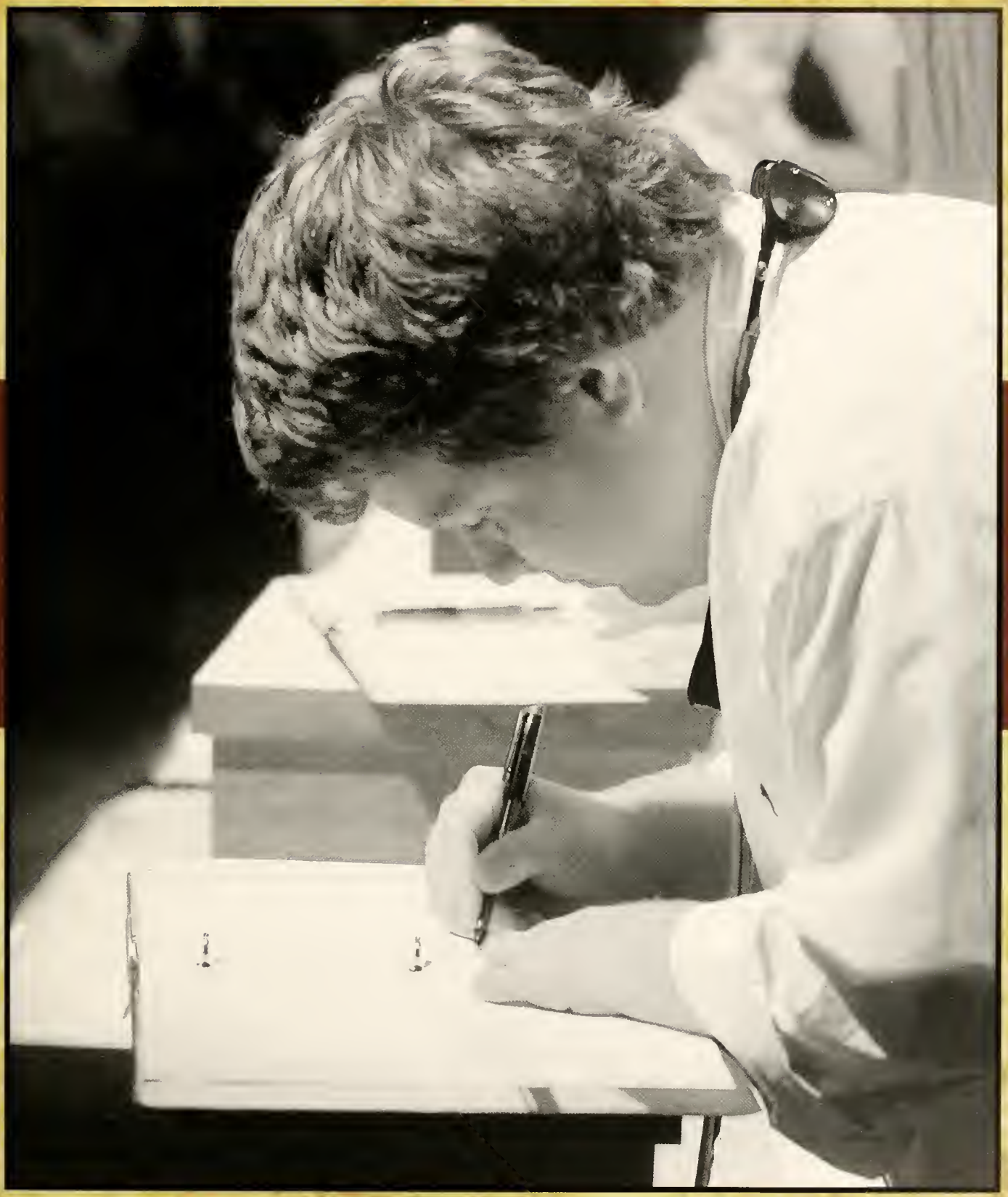
August 27, 2007

As I sit down and breathe for the first time today, I begin to think back on this totally scary, but awesome day. My first class on the PC campus was Biology. I was so nervous. "What if everyone else in the class is smarter than me? "What if I look like a fool?" These were the thoughts that ran through my head as I sat down and looked around the class.

Now that the first day of class is behind me, I can say with definite certainty, "There are tons of people here smarter than me." But you know what, I think I can do this. I am up for the challenge. I want to be a PC success story in and out of the classroom. I want to get good grades, join a fraternity, make friends, and maybe even participate in intramurals. These are all things on my list to do over the next four years, and I really think I can do them all.

Well I had better run, I have to find that crazy key-card thing and try to get some dinner at the dining hall. I think everyone calls it GDH. Hope the food is good because I am famished!



Fall

September 1, 2007

One of the biggest away football games was the game versus Furman University. It was the first PC football game of the 2007 season as they started their transition to Division 1.

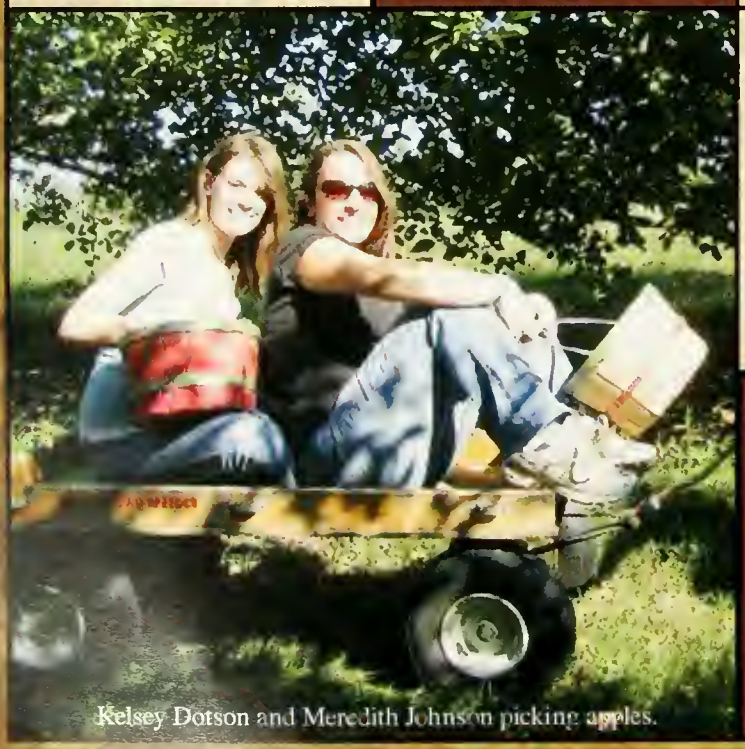
October 6, 2007

Homecoming is a time that alumni are invited to reminisce all the while helping current students make memories. This year's opponent was North Greenville University.

October 13, 2007

The students rejoice in fall break the arrival of this holiday because it is about this time that professors start to assign many projects and tests.

The Wall That Heals


Kelsey Dotson and Meredith Johnson picking apples.

October 26, 2007

Guy's Bid Day was a way for each fraternity to show off their new members. It was hosted on a chilly Fall day, and all of the fraternities were very excited to get their new members after rush.

December 2, 2007

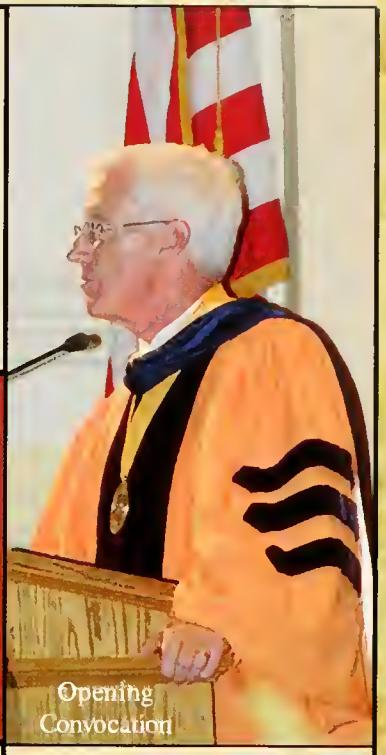
The Christmas Concert was, once again, a beautiful showing of the musical, dancing, and oracle talents or the students at PC. The concert was always a nice way to welcome in the holidays.

September 27, 2007

The Wall That Heals visited PC this past Fall. Many students and professors visited the wall. The wall was displayed at New Bailey Stadium and was escorted through Clinton by a group of motorcyclists.

October 5, 2007

This year, the Student Union Board sponsored a formal Homecoming dance in addition to the many other Homecoming festivities on the night before the big game.



Opening Convocation

October 20, 2007

Sorority Bid Day was a time for each of PC's 3 sororities to invite the girls of their choice to join their sorority. This day is a very exciting day and a great way to end the recruitment process.

October 31, 2007

Halloween was on a Wednesday this year, but that didn't stop many from dressing up and celebrating this fun holiday. Others waited until the weekends to dress up and go out.

Emilie Land and Tinsley McCrary at the Furman Game

November 2-4, 2007

Parent's Weekend was a great way for current students to show their families what their home away from home is like. Tours and many programs offered the parent's a funfilled weekend.

November 21, 2007

Thanksgiving Break signifies that the first semester is close to being over. It was such a great feeling to be stuffed with turkey and know that you are close to a month long break!

December 14, 2007

Last Day of Exams! Everyone was finally done with first semester. For the freshmen they had their first semester down, and for the senior there was only one more to go.

Orientation

August 22-26, 2007

Orientation is a period of time before school starts when only freshman are on campus and they get acquainted with the school and meet other freshman. Freshman orientation was Wednesday, August 22 through Sunday, August 26. On day one of orientation the students checked in, moved their stuff to their rooms, and the students and parents attended the president's address. Then on the second day, after the parents went home, the students met with their hose groups and continued to learn about Presbyterian College. In the afternoon there was a playfair event and cosmic bowling. On Friday, the third day of orientation, students began signing up for their classes. On Saturday it was service day. Everyone was encouraged to sign up and do some sort of community service project on campus or around town. There was also am 80's dance that night which was a lot of fun and a great place for freshman to meet each other. On the final day of orientation freshman attended hose group meetings to learn about and to review the honor code. There was also a field day that afternoon that had tons of fun events for the students to participate in. Orientation was packed with fun and useful information for the incoming freshman. Freshman really benefit from the orientation experience.

STRIKE!
Anna George and Jamie Poag show their excitement at the bowling alley, with their hose leaders, during the first couple of days of orientation.

SKIT SHOW
The upperclassmen really enjoy being able to put on a skit show for the freshmen. It is halarious and makes them feel more at ease.

TIME TO PARTY

Amber Giles and Mckenzie Wells get ready to go to the Orientation 80's Party. Freshmen and upperclassmen alike love this party because they are able to wear crazy clothes.

GETTING COZY

Blaire Weatherly relaxes after a long day of moving in. She finally has all of her stuff organized and is ready to start her college life in her room away from home.

ATTITUDE

Taylor Randall and Zach Williams helped put on and perform in the skit. With their improv, the skit was a definate hit.

TIRED OUT

Kate Thompson and Andrew Manley are relaxing after winning the shagging competition for their impressive dancing skills. Many students at PC loved any opportunity to shag.

SUB HELPERS

Elizabeth Collier, Parker Ann Baxley, and Anna Burch are all dressed up for the second annual Shuckin' and Shaggin' event. The girls loved showing off thier new summer dresses.

QUICK BREAK

Several girls took a time out from dancing and all the great food for a picture. Many students really enjoyed the oysters and other foods that were served at the event.

GET TOGETHER

Sophomores Katie Rehfuss, Jay Gilliam, Kate Howard, Jordan Reynolds, and Elizabeth Gault enjoy Shuckin' and Shaggin' with friends.

SNAPPY CASUAL

Freshmen show off their snappy outfits while hanging out. This was another way for freshmen to meet even more upperclassmen.

Shuckin' and Shaggin'

DANCIN' THE NIGHT AWAY
Some girls take a break from their shagging. Everyone was really impressed this year with having Shuckin' and Shaggin' at the stadium. It was really a wonderful location.

September, 2007

In September 2007, Presbyterian College got into the swing of the fall semester with the second annual Shuckin' and Shaggin' event. This gathering has become a time to welcome new faces to the PC community while catching up with familiar friends. Of course, it is the best time of the year to see the PC community decked out in their finest snappy casual. Although inclement weather this year forced the crowd to move indoors at New Bailey Stadium, approximately 300 students attended. The social event was sponsored by the Student Union Board and featured dancing and oyster shucking. Another highlight of the night was the beach music complete with a live shagging band. Freshman McKenzie Wells said that her "first time at Shuckin' and Shaggin' was fun! It was interesting because some people you would not picture dancing at all are awesome at shagging. SUB did a great job planning the event." This year there was also a shagging competition judged by... PC junior Andrew Manley and his partner Kate Thompson proved their dancing skills when they were named the winners. As SUB president Kelsey Dotson put it, "Shucking & Shaggin' captures the best of PC: sundresses, seersucker, shaggin', food, fellowship, and fun. Nothin' could be finer."

"The spirit of PC truly comes alive with the faces of alumni and old friends present, the anticipation of the crowning of the homecoming queen and presentation of the court, the huge amount of tailgaters and cheering football fans. Homecoming is a wonderful time to remember why it is we chose to be Blue Hose." -Sophomore Anna Burch

FUNDRAISING

These SUB members socialize while selling t-shirts and koozies at the Homecoming dance. Selling t-shirts and koozies was a way to advertise the weekend's events and earn money.

MOVIN' AND SHAKIN'

Students enjoy dancing to the band's music at the Homecoming Fall Formal. The band played a wide variety of music for the students to dance and have fun to.

UNITED AS ONE

The PC football players walk as a proud group on their way to the field for the Homecoming game. Seeing the football players on their way to the game always excited the fans.

BAGPIPES

Juniors Kate Morgan and Kathryn Anne Mooneyham pose for a picture with the Scotsman at the Homecoming dance.

THE QUEEN IS...

Senior, Anna Brooks Churm rides around the stadium after receiving her crown. The students voted and the winner was announced at half time.

Homecoming

PURE ROYALTY
SUB member Junior Parker Moore hands Ms. Mills the corsage for winning Ms. Blue Hose.

ONE, TWO STEP
Two students dance to the band that played at the Homecoming Fall Formal dance.

August 20, 2007

Homecoming is a time for current students to reunite with old friends and meet alumni: new and old; it is also a time for the alumni of Presbyterian College to bask in the greatness of memories that once was their PC. Junior Berkley Aiken summed up the purpose of Homecoming by saying, "Home coming....I think it is a very important tradition that is carried out year to year. It allows for alumni to come back and see the changes that have been made at PC and allow them to interact with the new/current students. It is a neat tradition and a great weekend. I personally love it because it always brings great memories and makes new ones every year with my family and the tailgating that we do. It is a very fun and exciting time for friendship and fellowship and just great memories of time spent at PC. This year was especially neat for me because I hold an exec position as a member of the Student Union Board (Spirit Co-Chair), which is the organization that organizes all of Homecoming, from the voting process to the flower arrangements, to the Fall Formal, to the Spirit Tunnels at the game, and it was cool to be sort of behind the scenes in planning everything and seeing how much work actually goes into organizing such an event. It was a lot of fun...as it always is...and I always look forward to the years to come!"

Many events make up the excitement that is Homecoming. The Student Union Board plans events for the students, while events for the alumni are planned by the school. The Student Union Board's events range from simply voting for the Homecoming queen to the Fall Formal the night before the big game, which ended in a victorious win over North Greenville University this year. The Fall Formal was a way for students to enjoy each other's company in the spirit of Homecoming.

T-shirts for Homecoming were sold and a bonfire was held at Fraternity Court as a way to get students involved in one of the most exciting weeks of the fall semester. Events for the alumni ranged from the Young Alumni tailgate and the African American Alumni tailgate to individual class reunions throughout the weekend. The Friday before the game, the school hosted an "Evening Under the Oaks" inviting both current students and alumni to join in on a great meal and social time on Presbyterian College's West Plaza.

Another event was the Student Union Board spirit tunnel, formed on the field before the football game. At Homecoming there was something for everyone to participate in and make new memories to reminisce about for many years to come. The enthusiasm of Homecoming can be seen in Senior Caitlin Cox's comment: "Homecoming is always my favorite event of the fall semester because, as a 3rd Generation PC student, it is always interesting to hear stories of PC past from my parents and grandfather, and compare them to PC present. The wonderful thing about PC is that no matter how long you've been away, when you come back...it's like you never left; I love seeing that in my parents when they return and I hope it will be the same for me when I come back!!"

Sorority Bid Day

October 21, 2007

Sunday, the day of bid day, was an exciting for both the members and potential new members of all three sororities on campus: Alpha Delta Pi, Sigma Sigma Sigma, and Zeta Tau Alpha. Everyone was full of nerves after and stressful and exciting week of rush. The members of all three sororities spent time deliberating over which girls they would give bids too, and the girls that had gone through recruitment had time to decide whether they wanted to join a sorority and even which one. All that was left was to wait for the recruitment counselors to tell them whether they had gotten a bid or not. The girls that had gotten bids excitedly ran to Neville Hall to open their bids. One by one, the girls were called into a room to open the envelopes that would tell them which sorority they were invited to join. Then, they ran down the steps of Neville to join their new sisters. After all the new members had run down the steps the recruitment counselors were finally able to rejoin their sisters after being unaffiliated for months. After the excitement of seeing who would join which sorority all three groups separated to celebrate with and get to know each other. It was a day of great excitement for all who participated.

FINALLY
Kaitlyn Sheffield jumped into the arms of her new sisters. They were excited for her and all the other new members to finally join them.

ALL SMILES
The sisters of ZTA all posed for a picture on the steps of Neville. They were very excited to start their day of fun activities.

SECRETS REVEALED

Recruitment Counselors run down the steps back into the arms of the respective sororitites. This was also the first chance the new member realized what the affiliation of their counselors were.

S-I-G-M-A

The Sigma Sigma Sigma members wait excitedly for the new members to run down the steps. They loved getting their new members as much as the girls loved joining the sisterhood.

PATIENCE

ZTA is the midst of accepting their new sisters and waiting to find out about the decisions of the girls that had not yet joined them.

ALL TOGETHER

The sisters of Alpha Delta Pi pose for a picture after all new members have run down the steps. Each sorority then went to a Bid Day Party.

I'M BACK

Rachael Hinson, a recruitment counselor, was finally able to celebrate with Alpha Delta Pi. She was also warmly welcomed back.

FOLLOW THE LEADER

Two members of Pi Kappa Phi walk down the steps of Neville to lead out their pledges. All of the guys pledging this fraternity then followed to meet the brothers waiting on them.

READY TO ROLL

Members of Pi Kappa Phi get excited as they wait on their new pledges to come out. Junior Stephen Knotts even had the fraternity's letters shaved on his chest for the occassion.

ALL EYES

Female students watch as their favorite fraternities receive new pledges. Fraternity Bid Day was not only for the boys, but the whole school enjoyed watching the event.

SNAPPY CASUAL

The new pledges for Kappa Alpha Order eagerly walk down the steps of Neville in their traditional coats, ties, and khaki pants.

GET FIRED UP

The Theta Chi brothers have fun together as they get excited to see their new pledges come down the steps and rip off their shirts.

Fraternity Bid Day

DECKED OUT
Pi Kappa Phi brother Billy Schilling gets ready for the new pledges in his American flag costume.

DOGPILE
Kappa Alpha Order brothers and pledges go crazy as they unite for the first time on Bid Day.

October 26, 2007

Fraternity Bid Day is a fun-filled day for not only the fraternity members of Presbyterian College but for all of the students as well. The new accepted members and fellow students eagerly wait to see which boys will rush which fraternities. In the excitement of the day, each fraternity takes their turn of introducing their new members to the crowds of excited students. The new members run down the steps of Neville Hall into the arms of their potential new fraternity brothers.

Each fraternity has a different way of welcoming their new members. Kappa Alpha Order's new members dress snappy casual, in khakis and blazers, and line up at the bottom of the stairs to present themselves as new KA members. Theta Chi's new members wear white t-shirts and tear them off as running down the stairs to reveal the new bid day shirt for that year. Alpha Sig and Sigma Nu's new members run down the stairs in their new bid day shirts into the arms of their new brothers. Like KA, Pi Kappa Phi also runs down the stairs in snappy casual attire into the crowd of their new fraternity brothers.

The most exciting presentation by far is that of Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity. The brothers walk in a line up to the stairs of Neville dressed in black and painted in black and white. Senior Terrance Blake paints up in white and holds a snake as he leads the line of brothers. In Terrance's words, "Without Pike there wouldn't be a bid day." The new members of Pike then run down the stairs dressed up in women's dresses and hats and are welcomed by their new brothers.

Out in front of Neville, crowds of girls line up to watch their favorite boys become members of a chosen fraternity. Celebration takes place before and after this much-anticipated event. After running into the arms of their brothers, the new members are then taken in trucks back to fraternity court where celebration will continue late into the night with many different bands at each house!

Parent's Weekend

November 2-4, 2007

The fresh smell of the green grass and the shimmer of the recently cleaned fountain let students know that it was time for the parents to arrive. Parent's Weekend is a time for students to tell and show their parent's everything great about Presbyterian College. The school organizes many events to help include the 450 to 500 parents in the weekend's activities. Parents come from many places including as far north as Canada and as far south as Florida. The local hotels get booked months in advance due to the overwhelming amounts of parents and families attending.

Events started Friday night, November 2nd, with a Parent's Weekend Oyster Roast. This dinner event offers a chance for the parents to socialize and meet with other parents. Saturday officially marked the beginning of Parent's Weekend with a breakfast, registration, and a welcome by President Dr. John Griffith in Edmunds Hall. After the official welcome, parents are invited to meet with their student's professors in the library. After the morning's events the parents were welcome to enjoy a cookout lunch located at the New Bailey Stadium and then attend the football game versus Chowan. There were other sporting events throughout the weekend that parents were encouraged to attend also, including soccer and volleyball games. Parent's Weekend concluded with a worship service in Edmunds on Sunday morning, November 4th.

Local businesses supported the arrival of parents with special events to invite the parents not only to campus events, but out and around the town to discover the larger environment in which their student lives. The sororities and fraternities of PC also hosted cookouts and tailgates for the parents to attend before the game. For the second consecutive year, Zeta Tau Alpha hosted a "Pink Out" day and survivor walk around the track at New Bailey Stadium in honor of the fight against breast cancer. All parents and survivors were invited to participate. The soccer team was also recognized for their 30 years of being in the NCAA.

Parent's Weekend is a happy time around the Presbyterian College campus. The professors along with the students take pride in our campus and make sure the parents have an enjoyable weekend.

PINK OUT

Zeta Tau Alpha sisters have fun spending time together during their Pink Out Cookout. This was one of the big events at Parent's Weekend this year.

DAD'S BBQ

While at college, many miss home cooking. This dad enjoyed showing off his grilling skills while spending time with his daughter and meeting her new friends.

WE'VE GOT SPIRIT

Each fan shows spirit in his or her own way. Some students helped with Parent's Weekend by painting faces of the younger Blue Hose to help them show support for the team.

ALMOST FAMOUS

Women's basketball player Tishe Sanders shows off one of the team's autographed posters with her family. The Men's and Women's Basketball Teams were introduced before the football game.

GO TEAM GO

The Blue Hose cheerleaders lead the crowd full of students and their parents in spirit and encourage the team to keep fighting for victory.

FAMILY BONDS

Ashton Yount gets to spend time with her family at the Pink Out tailgate before the game without even leaving campus.

YOUNG HOSE

Along with parents come younger siblings. Kelly McDavid got to share the Blue Hose spirit with a possible future Blue Hose.

FROM THE SIDELINES

Senior Adam McKinney intently watches his team from the side lines during a break. McKinney was a leader of the defense as a starter at defensive end.

NEW BEGINNINGS

The PC offense fights to gain yardage against North Greenville University. By scoring 66 points this game, the Blue Hose set a new record for the most points scored at Bailey Memorial Stadium.

Football

TEAMWORK

Members of the offense talk strategy and cheer on their defense while on the sidelines. PC broke the school single season record for team total offense in the win over Chowan, ending the game with 4,934 total yards in 2007.

2007 Football Record

Furman.....L
Pikeville.....W
Samford.....L
Western Carolina.....L
N.C. Central.....W
North Greenville.....W
Virginia Military Institute.....W
Coastal Carolina.....W
Liberty.....L
Chowan.....W
Charleston Southern.....L

CATCH ME IF YOU CAN

Sophomore S.J. Worrell slips through the hands of a North Greenville defensive player. The Blue Hose defeated the Crusaders 66-42 in front of a Homecoming crowd of 6,047.

LISTEN UP BOYS

Defensive coordinator, Coach Julius Dixon, talks to the defense after they come off the field. In the last home game of the season, played against Chowan Universtiy, the Blue Hose defense only allowed 63 yards of passing, making it the first time since the Newberry game in 2006 that they had allowed less than 100 yards of passing. The PC Football Team finished its first season of Division 1 play with a winning record of 6-5, while going 3-0 on the home field.

IN CONTROL

Setter Rachel Lewis gets ready to give one of her teammates a good set. The setter had to be a leader on the floor and always get the play under control for her team.

DIG DEEP

Freshman Liz Heineman dives for a dig at the tournament in Charlotte. Liz said about the season, "Not only was it fun, but it was really awesome to get 20 wins in our first Division I season."

Volleyball

TEAMWORK

The 12 players and 2 coaches who make up the PC Volleyball Team are pictured here. The Lady Blue Hose won 3 tournaments during the 2007 season, including the Catamount Clash, Battle at the Beach, and the Jacksonville University Tournament.

USC Upstate.....W
UNC Asheville.....W
Fayetteville State.....W
Charleston Southern.....W
Coastal Carolina.....W
Winthrop.....L
High Point.....L
Gardner-Webb.....L
Liberty.....L
Radford.....L
High Point.....L
Winthrop.....L
Campbell.....W
Coastal Carolina.....W
Charleston Southern.....W
Liberty.....L
Radford.....W
USC Upstate.....W
UNC Asheville.....L

NATIONAL CELEBRITY

Lone senior Lauren Mason jumps up for a kill. Lauren was featured in "Sports Illustrated" as a part of "Faces in the Crowd" for her accomplishments this year.

TEAM WORK

Justine Lanchester and Amanda Kettles go for a block together against UNC Charlotte as their teammates Lauren Mason and Rachel Lewis back them up and get ready for the ball to come back down. Justine said about being a part of the team this year, "My favorite part of PC Volleyball is definitely all the fun we have while beating up on the competition, but we also have some hilarious personalities on our team that make every day entertaining."

STARTING FRESH

Co-captain and starting goalkeeper Mark Owens kicks a goal kick. Mark said, "This season has been a new experience by moving into Division I and facing the challenges that come with it, but our team has worked hard to grow and get this program started off right in DI."

Men's Soccer

AIR BALL

Freshman Stephen Glover jumps above the other players in order to gain possession of the ball. When performed correctly, heading was a very effective technique for winning balls in the air.

READY, SET, THROW

Will Boyd looks down the field at his teammate as he throws the ball in. Throw ins could be a very important key in getting the offense started and gaining momentum.

2007 Men's Soccer Record

South Carolina.....L
UNC Charlotte.....L
UNC Asheville.....T
Lincoln Memorial.....L
High Point.....L
Gardner Webb.....W
Jacksonville.....W
North Florida.....L
Virginia Military Institute.....T
USC Upstate.....W
Winthrop.....L

DEFENSE WINS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Senior John Odom works hard on defense to hold off an opponent so he cannot receive the ball. Odom commented, "Take your victories, whatever they may be, cherish them, use them, but don't settle for them."

GOT IT

Senior Brandon Tucker completes a slide tackle as he battles his opponent for possesion of the ball. Brandon's senior season was also the team's first season competing in Division I play. The team worked hard and finished with a record of 4-11-2 under Coach Bret Boulware. In addition to the regular season, the team also played in three tough tournaments.

POWER SHOT
Junior Sheldon Robinson approaches the ball as she takes a free kick for the team. Sheldon was a free kick specialist and the team's strongest player.

Women's Soccer

BE AGGRESSIVE
Sophomore Ashley Cook fights her opponent for possesion of the ball. Soccer is a very physical sport that requires a great amount of contact.

BALL FAKE
As she wins the ball, senior Maggie Carruth looks to fake out her defender and get past her. The defender/ midfielder from Roswell, Georgia was one of the team's most versatile players.

2007 Women's Soccer Record

Jacksonville.....L
Stetson.....L
Citadel.....W
Lipscomb.....W
Campbell.....W
Francis Marion.....L
Liberty.....L
Coastal Carolina.....L
Winthrop.....T
Lincoln Memorial.....L
Charleston Southern.....L
Virginia Military Institute.....W
High Point.....W
Radford.....W

GREAT SAVE

Senior goalkeeper Erin Sinkular collects the ball after making a save. Erin was the team's starting goalkeeper after playing for the Atlanta Silverbacks the previous summer.

GOT IT

Four-year starter and captain, senior Millie Green stretches out to get her foot on the ball before her opponent. Millie was named to the Big South Academic All-Conference Team at the conclusion of her final season. She scored a total of three goals to help her team finish the season at 6-7-1, a respectable record for the first year as a Division One soccer team.

TAKE THE LEAD

Junior Parker Moore moves to the front of the pack in the race. The pacing of a runner helps him to surpass other runners in the heat of the moment.

Cross Country

PUSH FORWARD

Senior Lauren Letien runs up a hill during the planned course. The courses usually consisted of wooded areas, hills, fields, and many others things.

ROAD BLOCK

Morgan Bennight leads the way across the bridge during a meet. Sometimes the runners run into people not participating in the race due to the courses weaving in and out of common areas.

TEAM UNITY

The Men's Cross Country team gathers together before lining up on the finish line. Just like any other sport, the team always joined together in a huddle before beginning the race.

GET READY

The Girls Cross Country team gets in their starting positions at the starting line as the race is about to begin. Each runner has her own unique way of starting the race. Cross country runners tend to pace themselves and save their greatest energy for the finish. The women's and men's teams' best finishes were second at the Limestone Invitational during September of 2007.

LOUD AND CLEAR

Freshman member of the co-ed team Josh Kerns helps cheer on the Blue Hose. The boys helped with stunts and cheering at the football and basketball games.

GET FIRED UP

Juniors Kelly McDavid, Kathryn Anne Mooneyham, and Sally Kate Patterson help get the fans into the game. The cheerleaders led cheers specific to football that the crowd could easily take part in.

Cheerleading

WE'VE GOT SPIRIT

After cheering hard at one of the home football games, the team poses together for a group shot. This year's team, coached by Laurie Addison and Katherine Turner, was composed of 20 females and 7 males.

STAND STRONG

The cheerleaders perform a stunt for the crowd at a home football game. Hours of practice goes into perfecting these stunts, because serious injury could occur if done incorrectly.

PUSH UPS FOR POINTS

The male members of the team hold the platform up for the team mascot, junior Steve Cummings, to do push-ups on. The team mascot did push-ups after every PC touchdown or field goal.

HOLD IT

For a stunt during a home football game, juniors Kelly McDavid, Kathryn Anne Mooneyham, and Sally Kate Patterson are held in the air by their male stunt partners. By having a co-ed team, a wider variety of stunts were able to be performed as the cheerleaders helped lead the Blue Hose Football and Basketball Teams to victory during their inaugural Division 1 seasons.

Class of 2008

Figs and Thistles

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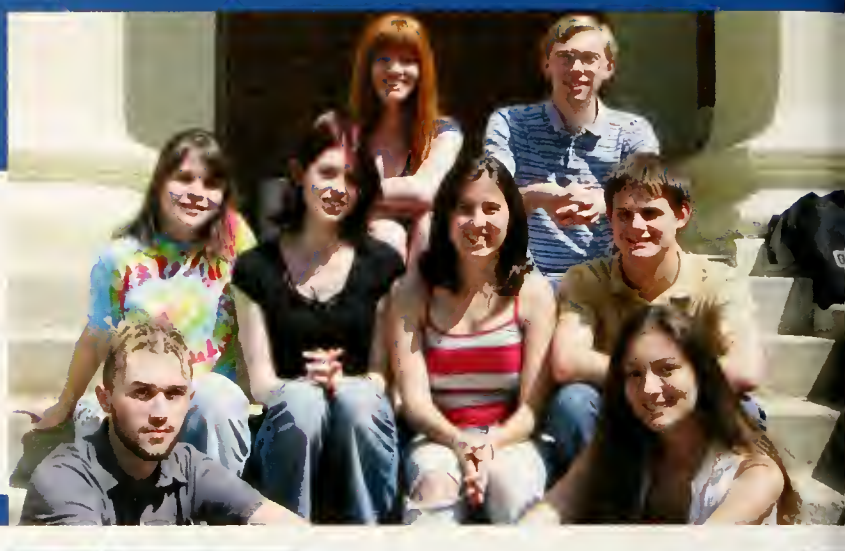

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"My favorite professor at PC is Dr. Lee in the Education Department. She invests a great deal of her time and energy into seeing that her students are successful in everything they do."
- **Zach Williams, Jr.**

"My favorite professor is Ms. Holder. She is always willing to help, has a smile on her face, and schedules El Jal days on our syllabus. You miss her when you don't have a class with her anymore."
- **Caitlin Cox, Sr.**

Shannon Cherry

Jenny-Gray Childs

Anna Brooks Churm

Laura Coker

Ann Leighton Coleman

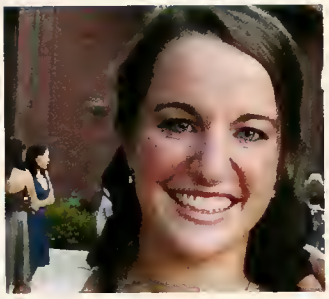
Katie Coleman

Kristy Collins

Katie Conner

Rebecca Cook

"Dr. Ann Stidham is one of those teachers that tries to have a personal relationship with all of her students. Her teaching goes beyond the classroom and she is an incredible mentor."
- **Meredith Johnson, Jr.**



"Dr. Campbell is so animated while he teaches and he is so passionate about what he teaches. You can tell he just flat out loves history, and his traveles bring his personal experiences to the class ested and engaged."
- **Berkley Aiken, Jr.**

Favorite Professor?

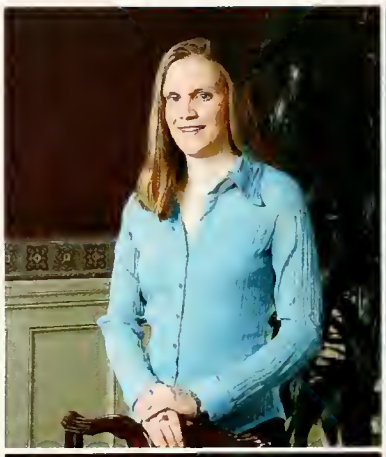
HONOR CODE

A freshman joined all the PC students that had gone before him by signing the prestigious PC Honor Code during Convocation.

SENIOR STATUS

A group of seniors gather together and realize that this would be their last year at Presbyterian College.

Ashley Cortright



Caitlin Cox

Charles Crosby

Emily Daniel

Joseph Davis

Wilson Davis

Rachel Dewyngaert

Michelle DiPasquale

Guy Dooley

Opening Convocation

PC PIPERS
The seniors and faculty were escorted into Belk Auditorium by bagpipers. Bagpipers were of PC traditon and were always a meaningful part of any ceremony.

Christopher Eckart

Sarah Eldredge

Ben Eldridge

Craig Engle

Lindsey Evans

Sean Foley

Richard Ford

Randi Fortenberry

Elizabeth Fortson

Mark Fox

Matthew Frick

Jeremy Fudge

Kari Fuller

Ben Garden

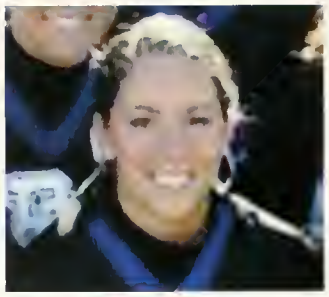
Nicole Garrett

Brett Garrison

Claire George

Brennen Gerards

"My advice for underclassmen is to live every day to the fullest. Be sure to have fun in class, get to know your professors, hang out with friends, and slow down because these four years will pass by so fast!"
- **Justine Schwindel, Sr.**



"My advice for underclassman would be to enjoy every single moment at PC. Time really does fly by and by the time you are a senior, you will be wishing you were a freshman all over again."
- **Ashley Kieffer, Sr.**

Advice for Freshmen

Christa Gordon

Amanda Graves

Brittany Greer

Lawrence Greer

Gretchen Grove-DeJarnett

Katie Guthrie

Rachel Guy

Melanie Hagood

Jessica Hand

"Study hard but play hard! PC is one of a kind, enjoy it while you can!"
- **Anna Wilson**, Sr.

"Bust your bubble! Take chances, make new friends, and don't study to hard. It's the best four years of your life-enjoy it because PC has so many wonderful people and activities to offer."
- **Rachael Hinson**, Sr.

Studying Abroad

"I didn't really study abroad but I did go on a maymester to Disney World, which should definately count! I thought it was a great experience and it was real interesting to learn about the business side of such a successful theme park."
-Senior Caleb Massengill

"I went on maymester to Santiago, Chile to study Spanish, so I guess you could count it as studying abroad. " It was the most fantastic, enlightening thing that I have ever done. It was thrilling to get to travel the world with your classmates while learning about language and culture. -Senior Kari Fuller

Rachel Hardison

Brittany Harold

Emily Harstead

Keeke Hartis

Liane Haynes

Juliana Head

Nathan Head

Chris Heiden

Rachael Hinson

I did a Maymester in England my Junior year and it was one of the best experiences that I could have taken. The opportunity to take in another culture and learn about another country was priceless... well actually it cost a lot, but the experience was amazing.
-Senior C.J. Brooks

I went on Semester at Sea last semester. I lived on a ship with 650 different students traveling to and visiting 10 different countries around the world. My favorite places were Egypt and India. If anyone ever gets the opportunity to do this... then do it!
-Senior Patrick Shaw

Kate Howard

Jeremy Hudson

Flint Huff

Stephen Humphries

Allie Inabinet

Patrick Jackson

Jarren Johnson

Lauren Joyce

Aubrey Kesecker

Krysty Keyser

Ashley Kieffer

Amanda Kolanczyk

Mallie Littlejohn

Rebekah Livingston

Sarah Lloyd

Jennifer Luther

Patrick Madden

Caleb Massengill

"Neither. I think living off-campus has been one of the greatest experiences I've had at PC. I live with six of my best friends in a house and it has given us the opportunity to become closer. "
-Senior Casey Ross

"Townhouse. You are not far from the activities on the weekend and you have your own washer, dryer, and dishwasher. You can cook for yourself and get away from GDH or Springs."
-Senior Chris Heiden

Townhouse vs.

Kathryn May

Becky Mayo

Abby Mayton

Jake McCoun

Brittany Meggs

Christian Merchant

Mallorie Merritt

Liz Mickle

Emily Milner

"I love my Scottish Arms apartment! You have so much more freedom there and you feel like you're in the real world."
-Senior Mairi Renwick

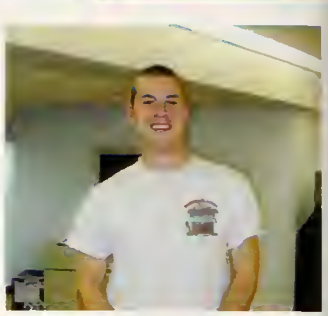
"Apartments because they're cleaner than the townhouses and a better place to be the RA."
-Senior Ashley Sprott

Senior Apartment

Who Would You

"Carson Davis or Ben Garden."
-Senior Catherine Schilling

"Boone Walker"
-Senior Wells Dunlap



Nicole Mirti

Cody Mitchell

John Mizell

Anna Morris

Katherine Murphy

Amy Nowell

John Odum

Wes Paul

Kaley Peek

Put On Real World?

"Justin Durant"
-Senior Russell Robinson

"Antwan Thomas"
-Senior Justin Durant

Robert Pletcher

Sarah Beth Rahn

Mairi Renwick

Jason Ridlehoover

Casey Ross

Marcia Rubino

Robbie Sanders

Meg Saunders

Emily Saxon

Catherine Schilling

Justine Schwindel

Sarah Simons

Lindsey Sink

Erin Sinkuler

Fowler Smith

Jodi Southerland

Michael Spears

Ashley Sprott

"You can sleep when you're dead"
- Craig Engle, Sr.

"I would advise underclassmen to learn how to study. In high school I never had to study, and the difficulty of the classes took me by surprise. When I started reading the chapters I saw improvements"
- Sherman Burnett, Sr.

Advice For Freshman

Rebecca Steen

Thomas Story

Andrew Strickland

Shannon Strodel

Jordan Surrett

Ali Titus

Brooke Toluba

Elizabeth Ubbens

Claudia Vaughan

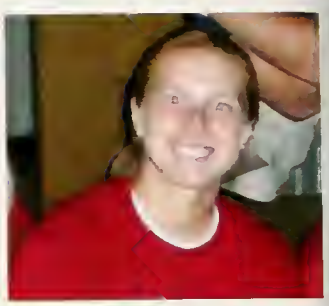
"Learn to value people. Work well, but know that the work will come and go. Be thankful for the friends you make here; don't be afraid to tell them what's going on, and don't be too busy to listen."
- Stephen Humphries

"My advice to you, is to leave your door open as much as possible. Living on the fourth floor of Georgia Dorm the most fun I had was dropping in on my friends and having them drop in on me."
-Grant Yarborough

#1 Thing To Do

"The #1 thing I want to do before I graduate is spend the night in JVG's and Nancy's house. I've thought it out. I think Ill have to sneak in through a window during the day, sleep in the closet, and then sneak out the next day."
-Senior Andrew Strickland

"Go to the top of Neville."
-Senior Shannon Strodel



Martynas Versinskas

Kerin Watts

Kim White

Anna Wilson

Jessica Wood

Corey Wynn

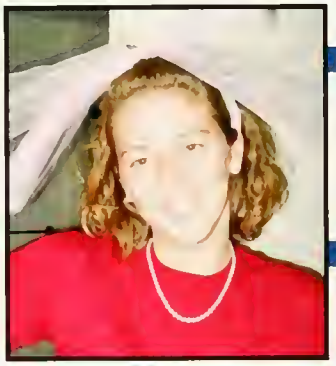
Jessica Ziegler

Before Graduation

"Before I graduate, I want to be able to say I've managed to get through college without getting into any real trouble. See kids? There's hope!"
-Senior Luke Rodgers

"Get all my CEPs :)"
-Senior Katie Coleman

Political Science



- Hollis Chappell

"The Political Science department is great because of the discussions and debates we have in class."

- Grant Yarbrough

"Being a Political Science Major gives me the ability to look at any happening in the world or in my life and be able to understand its impact according to the great thinkers of the past. Dr. Ingram, Dr. Weaver, Dr. Smith and Dr. Raber have all helped me to be able to think through complex problems and compromise on solutions to problems. We have the unique ability to insulate ourselves from the day to day problems of the world and contemplate, without fear of reprisal, solutions to the issues of the day and the fundamental problems of humanity."

- From Dr. Ingram

"The unexamined life is not worth living." (Socrates) –favorite quote of the dept

-Claire George

"What's great about being a Religion major is that you are encouraged to think for yourself. There are few facts and figures, so we have no choice but to make our own decisions and to stand by them."

Religion

Psychology

- Dr. Jerry D. Frey

"I don't have a favorite class. I've learned to appreciate things about all of them. What makes for an especially rewarding class is having at least a few interested students enrolled in that class."

- Jeremy Hudson

"Everybody gossips about people's behavior from last Saturday night. Psychology takes it a step further, and lets you actually study people's behavior. With Psychology you get a chance to make a difference in people's lives, almost all of what you study is relevant to your own life, and more than anything it's just fun"

- Bridgette Niepoth

"My first collegiate psychology course, Intro to Psychology, was very enjoyable. I think I enjoyed Intro so much because we covered so many aspects of the discipline and were exposed to various schools of thought within psychology, significant experiments, and its multitude of implications and applications.

- Dr. Carla Alphonso

"I enjoy teaching sociology because it is a subject that captures the richness of different cultures and embraces the common threads that bind humanity."

- Elizabeth Bomar

"My favorite class within the major is Marriage and the Fanily and it's taught by Dr. Alphonso."

- Rachel Dewyngeart

"I loved taking Sociology of Gender. I learned about the innate differences between males and females. It really helped me understand the relationships human beings possess between one another."

Sociology

Alpha Delta Pi

CONFERENCE

Some members of the Executive Council of Alpha Delta Pi pose for a quick picture before a day of meetings. The sisters went to Knoxville, TN for their workshops.

ALL TOGETHER

The sisters of Alpha Delta Pi take a chapter wide picture while on their Sisterhood Retreat. This year the girls went to Camp Coker for the weekend.

HELPING OUT

Jordan Cogdill helps to seperate out items that were donated to the Ronald McDonald House. Sisters mainly visit the Ronald McDonald House in Greenville or Columbia.

STOCKING UP

Sophomore, Abby Young helps to fill up the supply closet at the Greenville Ronald McDonald House. The Ronald McDonald House is the philanthropy of Alpha Delta Pi.

GET READY

Alpha Delta Pi is always excited about participating in intramural sports. Here, the flag football team prepares for the championship game.

Alpha Delta Pi is the oldest secret society for college women in the world! It was established in 1851 by Eugena Tucker, a student at Wesleyan College in Macon, Georgia. Alpha Delta Pi's mascot is a lion, who is nicknamed Alphie. Their colors are blue and white and their mottos is, "We live for each other," which symbolizes their loyalty to their sorority and to serving their community. Alpha Delta Pi, Eta Xi chapter was established here at Presbyterian College in 1989. They support the Alpha Delta Pi national philanthropy which is the Ronald McDonald house. The Ronald McDonald homes provide a support, comfort, and a "home away from home" for the families of seriously ill children who are receiving treatment in nearby hospitals. Nationwide Alpha Delta Pi sororities have donated over two million dollars to the philanthropy. At PC, Alpha Delta Pi collects and donates can tabs and holds an annual "Tecter Totter" event in Clinton that has raised over fifteen-hundred dollars. In addition to raising money the sisters in the chapter also take trips to the Ronald McDonald houses and help the employees clean and do any housework that is needed to prepare for their guests. In addition to philanthropies Alpha Delta Pi also holds many mixers with the other fraternities on campus and a formal dance called Black Diamond in April. They also go on sisterhood retreats after the completion of recruitment in order to form closer bonds with the old sisters and to get to know the new sisters better.

Pi Kappa Phi

BEACH TIME

Brothers of Pi Kappa Phi get ready for their Beach Party Mixer with Zeta Tau Alpha. They really enjoyed being able to dress up for all of the mixers.

TIME TO RELAX

Each year the brothers take a trip to the mountains for a weekend. They stayed in a cabin and took dates. The weekend was a time for the brothers to relax and have fun.

GET READY

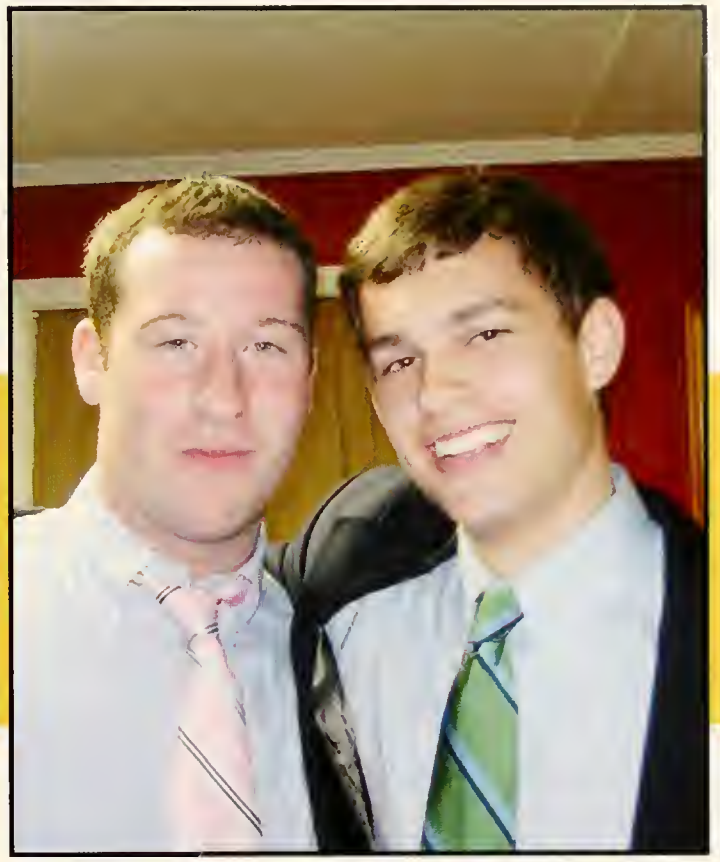
The brothers wait at the bottom of the stairs to see who will run down from Neville. When the new members ran down, they became a part of the fraternity.

PLAY BALL

The brothers have a voleyball court behind their house. On warm days, it's a great way for them to all hang out together and even hang out with guys from other fraternities.

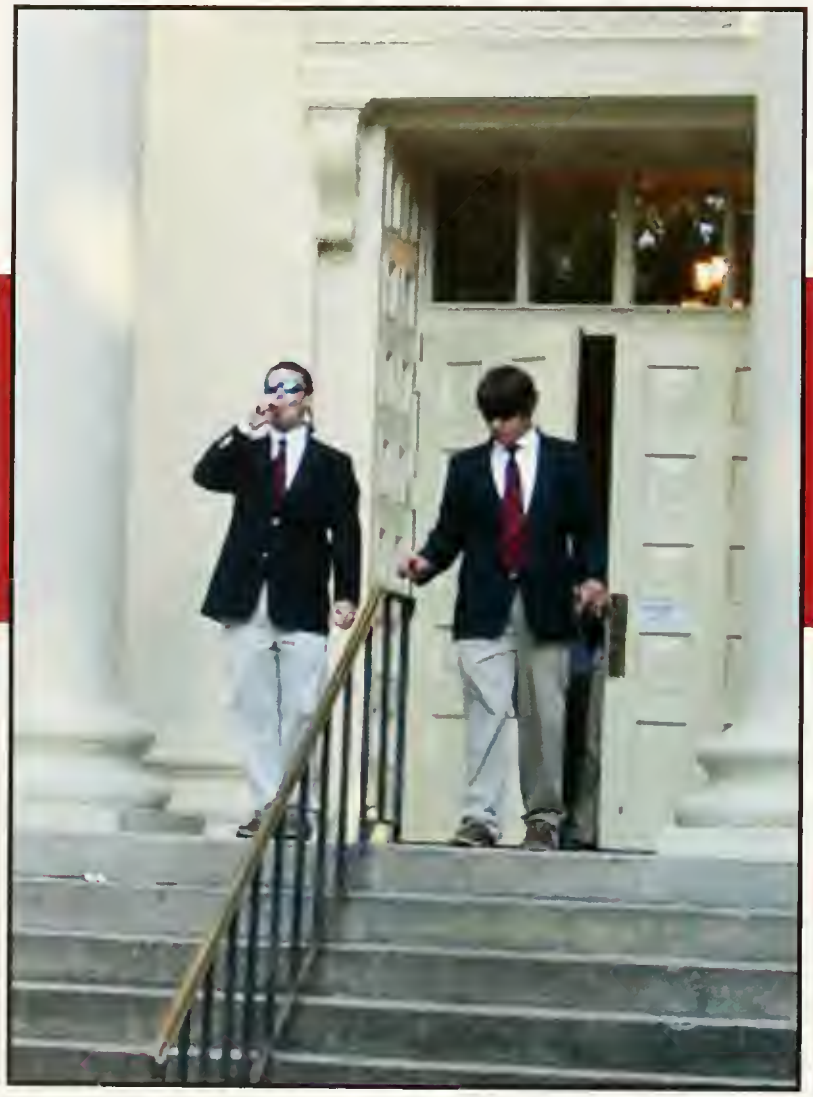
ALL DRESSED UP

Kenny Oliver and Reese Blackwell hang out at the fraternity house before their Christmas Party starts. The brothers loved being able to host parties for the school.



The Beta chapter of Pi Kappa Phi was founded March 9, 1907, which is at Presbyterian College. The Alpha chapter was founded on December 10, 1904, at the College of Charleston by seven men. During the Monday meetings at 9, Pi Kappa Phi discusses future events that will be held like charity events, mixers, social events, rush, parties, and brotherhood events. Their brotherhood events include dinners, basketball games, and football games. Also, they just like to sit around and talk about what happened during the week outside of schoolwork. Russell Robinson said, "It's been the best four years of my life. I wouldn't change a thing." Pi Kappa Phi does community service with the Joanna Elementary School regularly. PUSH America is their national philanthropy. PUSH is a charity that raises money to help build handicapped accessible playgrounds as well as other events to raise awareness for the severely disabled. This year Pi Kappa Phi won the Brotherhood Award and Presidents Cup, which are the two most coveted Greek awards a fraternity can get. The two most important things that Pi Kapp stresses is brotherhood and respect. This respect is not only toward each other but also towards anyone and everyone else they meet. Their brotherhood is very active within the PC and Clinton community, ranging in activities from Bluefish to Thornwell Big Brothers to Varsity athletics. All of the brothers have very high expectations of themselves and as brothers; they make sure each individual achieves whatever they put their minds to. Brett Kieffer says this about his fraternity, "Pi Kappa Phi has changed my life forever. The values it and the brothers have instilled in me will remain for the rest of my life. When you live with your parents for eighteen years, they teach you some valuable lessons; but when they ship you off to college, they can't bring you back when you are astray. Luckily for me Pi Kappa Phi, and the brothers within, have kept me from going down the wrong path. They let me know that I'm always looked after."

Theta Chi



LEAD THE WAY

President Alex Tarwater and Vice President Pat Madden walk down the steps of Neville to represent and introduce Theta Chi. Their job is to usher out the long-awaited Theta Chi Pledges.

DUKES OF HAZZARD

Andy Schlimmer, Rob Varner, and Michael Nelson dress up in their best redneck attire for Dukes of Hazzard. Dukes of Hazzard is Theta Chi's annual band party in which the Theta Chi house is turned into Hazzard County.

PATIENTLY WAITING

Theta Chi brothers wait anxiously for the new guys to run down the stairs. Every year at PC, fraternities on campus gather in front of Neville Hall to receive the new additions to their fraternity.

BROTHERLY LOVE

Before Heading to Neville, Theta Chi Brothers gather on the steps for a group shot. This was the last picture they would take together before getting their new additions.

RAISE YOUR VOICES

Freshmen boys Ben Wingo, Jeff Varner, and Kyle Ankerich sing their hearts out to all of the ladies. Theta Chi pledges put on a Pledge Karaoke Night every year, through which they raise money in tips to go toward their philanthropy.

The Beta Psi Chapter of Theta Chi Fraternity officially arrived on the Presbyterian College Campus on December 5, 1942. The fraternity started out with twenty-one members, and has continued to grow ever since. The fraternity house that Theta Chi calls their own was built in 1972.

The Beta Psi chapter of Theta Chi has recently adopted Juvenile Diabetes. Year-round the brothers of Theta Chi raise money to go towards promoting awareness and research for the disease. One of their main fundraisers for their philanthropy is "Burgers for Blood Sugar." The guys grill out and sell the burgers, and all of the money made goes toward their philanthropy.

Along with doing work and fundraising for their philanthropy, the brothers of Theta Chi are very involved in many of the organizations and activities on PC's campus. Members are involved in Bluefish, Campus Outreach, SVS, IFC, SGA, Honor Council, HOSE Leaders, ROTC, the Blue Stocking, and South Carolina Student Legislature. In these organizations, they also hold leadership positions, such as, SGA Treasurer, Class Representative, as well as holding the last two IFC President positions. The brothers of Theta Chi are also involved in athletics here at Presbyterian College. Within the brotherhood, there are representatives from the golf, soccer, and football teams.

Along with being involved around campus, the brothers are also very active at their own fraternity house. Theta Chi has several band parties each semester, including their annual party, Dukes of Hazzard where everyone dresses up in their best Hazzard County attire and enjoy a night at Theta Chi. The brothers of the Beta Psi chapter of Theta Chi are always ready to have a good time, but as you can see from their involvement in the Presbyterian College community, they do not let this get in the way of their positive legacy here on campus.

FCA

GOOD FELLOWSHIP

Beth Dallas, Anna Wade, Catherine Millard, and Ellen McAngus stick around after an FCA meeting to chat with each other about what was discussed and to raise questions.

SUN FUN

One of FCA's biggest trips each year is beach week. Heike Williams, Nichole Rowe, Cathe rine Millard, and Ellen Mcangus all pose to show their excitement for beach week.

PRETTY PRINCESSES

Some females members of FCA pose for a picture during an event called FCA Prom in which everyone got dressed up in tacky formal attire.

STEP RIGHT UP

Sophomore Ali Knaak helps out at a football game by being an usher. FCA performed this service by collecting tickets and patrolling the gates.

RAISE YOUR VOICES

Students perform music on stage during an FCA meeting. Praise bands were very helpful in getting the meeting going and making everyone excited about worship.

The Fellowship of Christian athletes is a nationwide organization with a vision to see the world impacted for Jesus Christ through the influence of athletes and coaches. The mission statement is to present to athletes and coaches and all whom they influence the challenge and adventure of receiving Jesus Christ as savoir and Lord and serving him in their relationships and in fellowship of the church.

This year FCA attracted about 60 members to each meeting. The president was Stephen Humphries, the vice president was Ellen McAngus, the communications chair was Lori Garvin, the sports encourager was Randi Fortenberry, the worship chair was Jon Choi, the events coordinator was Nichole Rowe, and the treasurer was Ali Knaak.

The FCA meetings took place every Wednesday at 9:00 PM in the Mabry-Smith-Yonce building. The meetings usually opened up with praise and a few worship songs, following with a speaker. Some speakers that came included Coach Bobby Bentley, PC's Head Football Coach and Dan Collins, a youth minister from Marion.

Some of the events that FCA took part in this year were the FCA Camping Trip, FCA Prom, Beach Week, Game Night, and Movie Night. In addition to these special events members from FCA encouraged sports teams by ushering, selling concessions, and praying for all the athletes and teams. FCA is all about God, fellowship, and fun.

Winter

Nov. - Dec., 2007

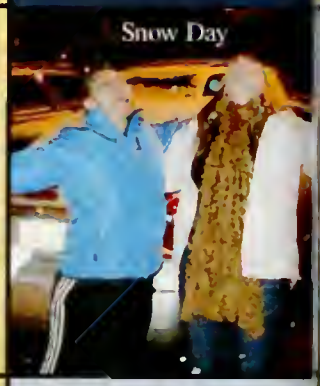
Plastiquarium was a display in the Harper Center Gallery, showing, as you guessed it, many different items of plastic art. The display was in the gallery for a month.

December, 2007

Each fraternity hosts its own Christmas party in which the brothers invite a date to attend dinner and then a band party at the house afterwards.

December 14, 2007

Christmas Break. This year's Christmas Break was one of the longest giving students a long time away from campus and not having to return to campus until a week into January.



Snow Day

Mary Hunter Chamberlain, Perrin Tribble, Karee Keefer and Kristen Cometto have fun at a tacky Christmas sweater party.

January 16, 2008

Snow Day!!!! PC's campus celebrated it's one and only snow day which came late one night! The campus was covered in a layer of snow, but sadly it was not enough to cancel class.

February 8, 2008

Vegas Night is an annual event hosted by the Student Union Board. Students are invited to participate in a free event in which students can play many casino games for prizes.

December 1-2, 2007

Christmas at PC is a program put on by the music department each year as a way to invite the community in to celebrate this holiday with the students of PC.

December 10, 2007

The Midnight Breakfasts are a popular event with the students hosted by SGA. These breakfasts occur at 11pm every night of exams in an attempt to help students relieve the stress provided by exams.

The Beach

January 1, 2008

While students were on break, they rang in a new year! A new year that will prove to hold many opportunities!

January 25-26, 2008

Winter Conference is a way for students to fellowship with other college students. This annual event involves a weekend-long trip to Montreat and provides many memories for the students.

Jan.- Feb., 2008

Most fraternities hosted a mountain weekend in which the brothers invite a date to attend the weekend with them. These weekends are a good way to take a break from the school work.

February 7, 2008

The Vagina Monologues, which has become an annual event for the PC campus, was encouraged in the festivities of V-Day in attempts to stop the violence against women.

February 14, 2008

Valentine's Day was a day in which love was the air on the PC campus, while the Pi Kapp Pledges handed out and dropped off roses to different people. Many wore pink or red to celebrate.

Christmas Concert

December 2007

The annual Christmas concert helps to get the community into the Christmas Spirit. The theme for the concert was "All creatures of our God and King." It incorporated all of the performing arts including the PC choir, which is made up of Armonia, the women's choir, Cantare, the men's choir, the strings ensemble, wind ensemble, and PC Ringers. The PC theatre worked as narrators, stage hands, and props. The concert included both sacred and secular music from many different cultures that related to the theme. The choir sung in many formations starting out in the balcony, moving to the house among the audience, and then proceeding to the stage. A lot of time and effort went into the concert from both students and faculty. Dr. Porter Stokes and Leslie Preston put the program together with help from Dr. Tim Kintzinger with brass, wind ensemble, and percussion, Dr. Richard Thomas with strings, and Dr. Karen Buckland on the piano. Dr. Ron Davis helped with Cantare and handbells and Ms. Miriam Ragland helped with dance while Dr. Spiegel and Ms. Leslie Preston were in charge of theatre. To pull a concert of this scale together, many people must work together. All of this was possible because of the work that everyone put into it.

The choir focuses on the director so that they can stay synchronized. This was one example of how the group relied on both each other and the director for success.

Dancers must work hard to be capable of doing what is asked. These dancers helped make the concert a success by collaborating to display a beautiful scene.

TRAPS AND BURNS

Sophomore, Micah Mallory gracefully performs a piece to entertain the crowd during the music. By having dance as part of the concert, a visual piece of art is available to the audience.

SHEETRINGS ATTACHED

Sophomore Mellette Johnson stays focused as she plays her part in the orchestra. The beautiful sounds of these instruments created the holiday spirit of the Christmas Concert.

ALL TOGETHER

Dr. Porter Stokes directs the choir so that everyone will stay on the same notes throughout the performance and make beautiful music.

HARMONY

The choir works together to put on performances that all can enjoy. This Christmas concert was filled with the wonderfully blended voices of the choir.

IN TUNE

The soloist, Matt Freeman, provides entertainment for the crowd. His powerful voice filled the auditorium with the sounds of Christmas

Winter Conference

January 25-27, 2008

Winter Conference is an annual event open to the entire college community that takes place in Montreat, NC. The them for 2008 was "Time Out", a subject that seems hard for many college students, especially on a campus as busy as PC. The conference was organized by a hard working group of students and other members of the PC community. Senior Keeke Hartis, the conference director, described the general mission of Winter Conference as promoting "community and understanding among PC students, faculty, and staff. It gives an opportunity for the PC community to break from the every day grind of the 'bubble' and establish relationships through recreation and conversation, to take time out to reflect on one's ow self, and to speak and discuss topics regarding life and faith. Winter Conference truly is one of my favorite opportunities offered at PC - if you haven't experienced Winter Conference yet, then you should definitely check it out!"

The speaker for the weekend was Jennifer Fouse, a PC alum and graduate of Columbia Theological Seminary, who coul relate well to the challenging schedule of a college student. Sophomore Ali Knaack summed up her experience by saying that "the topic was so relevant to PC and especially me. Jennifer was great because she knew how PC is the 'land of the ove committed.' Winter Conference showed me how to take a time out that is constructive. I loved the time we got on Saturday hang out with friends."

Along with the large and small group gatherings, there were also many other activities to keep the participants entertained throughout the weekend. These opportunities included the traditional coffeehouse/variety show, a bonfire, the shop in Black Mountain, hiking, and ultimate Frisbee. Junior Graysen Pack, who was busy with the sound and video during the conference, commented that it was still "a relief to be able to take a weekend away from PC and catch up with old friends."

ENERGIZER
Susan Rembert and Mary Kathryn Dykes participate in energizers. These fun activities got the students ready to listen and participate.

GROOVIN'
Katie Goslin, Brittany Harrold, Andrew Bayless, Brandon Holmes, and Whitney Farrell teach the crowd some seventies inspired dance moves.

FUN AND GAMES

Steve Cummings shows off his freestyle during the energizer. The recreation team was an important part of keeping the weekend full of entertainment.

HEART TO HEART

A group of students hangs out with each other to talk about their Winter Conference experiences. Most enjoyed this time away from campus in which they could learn more about each other.

SWEET TOOTH

Becky Cremer and Jason Kidlehoover enjoy dessert before the coffeehouse variety show. Both participated in this traditional conference event.

LISTEN UP

Andrew Strickland, Katie Rehfuss, Rebekah McFall, and Kate Howard enjoy time together before the keynote speaker, Jennifer Fouse began.

NICE 'N WARM

Steve Cummings prepares a stick for the fire as he tries to get warm. The campfire event was for everyone to get to relax with each other.

BLOCK IT
Junior Travis Sligh gets the shot block. Sligh is one of the best defenders on the team. There was a total of eleven players on this year's Men's Basketball Team.

Men's Basketball

KEEP GOING
Freshman Josh Johnson dribbles around the defense. Josh is a guard with tremendous work ethic. ESPN did follow up stories on PC several times throughout the season.

DOWN LOW
Freshman Pierre Miller dribbles down the court, he was good at shooting off of the dribble. The team set a record this year by making 22 three pointers during one game.

Nebraska.....L
Radford.....L, W
New Mexico.....L
Loyola Marymount.....L
St. Bonaventure.....L
Clemson.....L
Army.....L, W
UCF.....L
Coastal Carolina.....L
Ohio State.....L
UC Davis.....L
Fresno State.....L
San Jose State.....L
Western California.....L
Georgia.....L
Wake Forest.....L
NC State.....L
Georgia Tech.....L
Winthrop.....L

Auburn.....L
Allen.....W
Wright State.....L
Montreat.....W
Ole Miss.....L
Carver.....W
Tulsa.....L
South Alabama.....L

ALMOST IN

PC showed perservence and determination in all of their games, as show with this jumpshot. The players were able to play a lot of teams that they had never played before this year.

TIP IN

Junior, Bryan Bostic goes up for the lay up against Clemson University. PC lost to Clemson 74 - 57. The Blue Hose held strong against many larger schools.

GET THROUGH

Sophmore Taylor Price pushes through the defense to go after the rebound. Taylor is a key inside player.

Women's Basketball

HOLD STRONG

Junior Sharie Hopkins drives through the defense. "My favorite partof this season was having the opportunity to play against future WNBA players and playing in huge arenas that I often see on tv."

DEFENSE

Senior Tishe Sanders is a great defender. she is also a team captain The Head Coach this year was Jessica Vanco with help from her assistant coaches. Holly Brooks and Dionna McPhatter.

UNC Wilmington.....L
East Carolina.....L
Buffalo.....L
Kennesaw State.....L
Ohio University.....L
Cincinnati.....L
College of Charleston.....L
South Carolina State.....W
UNC Asheville.....L, L
East Carolina.....L
Georgia Southern.....L
Stetson.....L
Radford.....L, L
Kent State.....L
Georgia.....L
High Point.....L
Charleston Southern.....L
Winthrop.....L
Liberty.....L
Elon.....L
USC Aiken.....L
Converse College.....W
Longwood.....L

JUMP SHOT
Senior Bridget Takach battles to get the shot off, Takach is a great freethrow shooter and a team captain.

KEEP GOING
Freshman Katlin Moore dribbles around the defense, Moore is very quick and athletic.

Class of 2009

Improv at Inklings

Improv is a way for students who love comedy and acting to express their funky side on a late Friday evening. Located in the basement of Georgia Dorm in Inklings, Taylor Randall hosts a magnificent display of a group of some of the most talented students at PC. Improv isn't a regular Friday night event, but when it happens people flock to this once in a while occurance.

Berkley Aiken
Sarah Anderson
Christiana Armstead
Natalie Arnold

David C. Balding
Parker Ann Baxley
Carolyn Bian-lingle
Reese Blackwell

Casey Lynn Bookout
Lauren Bowers
Rachel Brewer
Megan Burdette

"Improv is a way for all of us to be complete dorks and still have people laugh at us....it's pretty sweet!"

-Taylor Randall

Terrance Butler
Allie Caldwell
Thomas Capell
Michelle Carl

Mary Beth Carlson
Jordan Leigh Cogdill
Elizabeth Collier
Becky Cremer

Lauren Deal
Kelsey Dotson
Carly Eargle
Kim Filkins

Bru Fout
Joseph Frost
Caroline Frye
John Gartrell

Sonya Gee
Heather Ginn
Natalie Green
Erin Grogan

Haley Harper
Brittany Hill
Amanda Holliday
Christy Howard

"Besides the fact that I probably won't get to enjoy the new elements of the Springs renovation; I think that it is a good step. More students will want to be in Springs if it is nicer and has some new things to entertain us with!
-Junior Liz Boley

"Yes, I'm very excited about the renovation. Springs can definately use a new look--the large non-working clock tower isn't exactly pleasing to the eye and I think the balcony will be a nice place to study or eat lunch between classes. Also, it will be nice to have the new weight center rather than having a pool that isn't even used very often."
-Junior Kyle Kyzer

Madolyn Imko
Brittany Johnson
Charles Johnson
Meredith Johnson

Matt Knight
Steven Knotts
Catherine Kunkle
Kyle Kyzer

Andrew Manley
Colt Marcengill
Rob Martin
Ashley McCollum

Springs Renovation

"I think that the renovation being done to Springs will be a great tool attracting incoming freshman."
-Junior Bryson Summers

The Springs Renovation has made certain areas in Springs unavailable to students during the 2007-2008 school year, but the renovation will benefit future students, as most would agree.

"Best concert I've ever been to was the Goo Goo Dolls in Simpsonville. They are a classic band and it had to be one of their last tours ever, it was great to see them before their run is over."
-Junior Andrew Manley

"Not the best, but one of the most fun concerts I've been to was McFly at Wild Wing's downtown Greenville."
-Junior Graysen Pack

Tinsley McCrary
Kelly McDavid
Anthony McKnight
Elizabeth McLean

Megan McMillan
Anna Mills
Whitney Minor
Kathryn Anne Mooneyham

Carrie Moore
Parker Moore
Katherine Morgan
Lucy Morton

Best Concert

"I went to see My Morning Jacket and they melted my face off. This concert changed my life forever."
-Junior Madolyn Imko

"The best concert I've ever been to is Dave Matthews Band in Charlotte."
-Junior Parker Moore

Carolyn Negley
Kari Oleson
Sally Kate Patterson
Daniel Peeler

Lockey Powers
Callie Price
Corey Reese
Elizabeth Rentz

David Rice
William Rinaldi
Andrew Roberts
Nichole Rowe

Taylor Rowland
Tripp Rush
Jacalin Shealy
Lea Smith

Sade Smith
Tom Stillerman
Joseph Taber
Laura Tate

Lee Taylor
Elizabeth Turner
George Waters
Tim Webb

Going Division I

"When I found out that we were going Division 1 I was very excited. I was excited because this will allow us compete on a higher level. Also, this would fulfill a dream to play DI football. In addition to the transition, I knew that it would be one full of opportunities to prove to everyone that we belong and should be respected. Thus far, it has been challenging and rewarding at the same time. The challenge is for everyone to prepare like never before and seek the benefits of hard work."

-Anthony McKnight

"I am really excited about our move up to Division I! I know we surprised a lot of people with how well the football team did this season and it was a lot of fun traveling to bigger schools for the games. The win at Coastal Carolina was definitely the highlight of the season for me as a fan -- seeing the team really come together and link arms on the sidelines during the overtime was incredible to watch. I know our other sports are working hard at their transition and I am excited to spend my senior year watching our Blue Hose keep winning!"

-Parker Ann Baxley

Sara White
Alyson Whitley
Blake Whitney
Megan Wilkerson

Heike Williams
Zach Williams
Andrea Wood

"Going D-I might be the best thing on the whole planet. The main thing I've the noticed is along with the transformation to nasty D-I athletics, we've also transformed into nasty D-I fans."

-Trey "the cereal line partner" Boyd

"I knew going to Div. 1 was going to be a very tough step, but our teams have hung in there and I'm excited about what the future holds for Pc athletics!"

-Kyle Rodgers

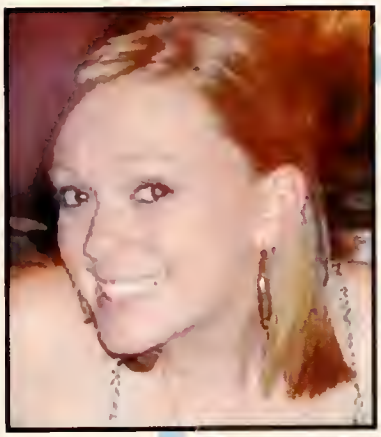
Snow Day

The Snow Day of the Spring Semester of 2008 was a surprising event for most students. No one expected the snow and ice to come, but all really wanted it to stay throughout the next day. To the disappointment of most students the snow and ice was washed away by rain over night and no classes were cancelled. Needless to say students found ways to enjoy themselves while the snow was falling.

Theater/Dance

-Kelly McDavid

"This years fall main stage production was " The Miss Firecracker Contest" It was the most entertaining show i have ever been a part of. It also took the most work. The set was huge, it was a very prop heavy show and there were a lot of costume changes. Rehearsing for a show takes a lot of work and alot of time, but it didn't seem like work on Miss Firecracker. The cast and crew were so fun to be around it just felt like we were playing. This play is my best memory from junior year, so much time and effort by so many people went into this show. I actually miss the 4 hour long rehearsals and even the Sunday morning ones!"



- Ashely Sprott

"With my art major I plan to pursue a graduate degree at some point and possibly do some type of work with a non-profit art organization. I enjoyed Advanced Painting the most because I was able to paint what I wanted."

Art

Foreign Language

- Kari Fuller

"I think that the class I have most enjoyed as a Spanish minor is Business Spanish, because it takes the language beyond just comprehension and vocabulary. It studies the economics and business aspects of Central America, South America, Spain and Mexico. It's awesome to be taking a beginner business course that focuses on Hispanic America. I love speaking Spanish all the time, and the classes are so great that every day I leave thinking and speaking in Spanish. I plan to use my Spanish when I travel and explore South America in the future - I went on the maymester to Chile, and some day I want to visit Peru, Argentina and Costa Rica."

- Stephen Humphries

"My major is a Bachelor of Arts in Music with an emphasis in percussion. I decided to major in music mainly because of the opportunity provided by the Dorothy C. Fuqua music scholarship. It has been awesome to be able to study something that I love to do, whether in the classroom, in private lessons, or on the stage. I believe that God has used this time here at PC to show me that music is a calling I have been given; it is my hope to keep pursuing this calling as well as I can for as long as I am able."

Music

Sigma Sigma Sigma

REPRESENT
President and Vice President, Rachel Guy and Brittany Meggs are at their Tri- Sigma convention. Here, did their part by voting on procedures and learning new things.

CLOSE KNIT
Mary Helen Calhoun, Fowler Smith, Martha Nichols and Juliane Laskowski strengthen their sisterhood on their annual trip to their philanthropy children's playroom at the North Carolina Chapel Hill Children's Memorial Hospital.

GROOVIN'
The Sigma Sigma Sigma girls have a great time at Royal Pearl, their spring formal. They were "hand-jivin'" and showing off all the colorful dresses.

FUN TIMES

The Sigma Sigma Sigma girls have a fun time with each other at the COR Party. Fun and fellowship provided a great atmosphere for bonding and learning more about each other.

GIRLS' NIGHT OUT

A few of the girls enjoyed time together on a girls' night out. Dinner and shopping together helped make the Sigma Sigma Sigma sisterhood even stronger.

For any organization to be successful, it and its members must be keeping up with it and doing things to help it to grow. Sigma Sigma Sigma did just that. The chapter started out the year great by getting a nationally recognized award. They were "Accredited with Honors," which is the highest accreditation that the sororiety offers. From the start they were working with their National Headquarters to implement a member training program that is to continue throughout the college careers of the members. Vice President Brittany Meggs is excited about this program. She said, "The Essential Sigma program continues to develop young women into the women they will be of the future...in and outside of Sigma Sigma Sigma. It teaches faluable lessons in leadership, time management, group dynamics, and the skills needed to be an all-around woman in general. I foresee programs such as Essential Sigma to very soon be used not only in Sigma chapters, but in all other NPC chapters as well." Rachel Guy and Brittany Meggs, the President and vice President, also went to the Tri Sigma convention where they went to workshops, voted on procedures, and participated in ritual events. Throughout the year, the chapter also supported their philanthropy by going to fundraising events for play therapy, and also went to a play therapy hospital in North Carolina. All of these things are great, but what sets any club apart, though, is the people in it. Rachel Guy said, "Our chapter is very unique because all of our members possess amazing strengths, distinctive personalities, and a love for each other, the sorority, and PC. We are all very different from each other--and we recognize that is what sets us apart as Tri-Sigmas. Our chapter is very unique because all of our members possess amazing strengths, distinctive personalities, and a love for each other, the sorority, and PC. We are all very different from each other--and we recognize that is what sets us apart as Tri-Sigmas."

Zeta Tau Alpha

PRETTY IN PINK

Amy Bolin, Allie Inabinet, and Trish Sosnowski get excited about Bid Day. The big sisters were dressed alike to show their sorority spirit and welcome the newly inducted members.

SISTERS

Zeta Tau Alpha sisters show off their pearls, sunglasses, crowns, and giraffes as they pose on the steps of Neville on Bid Day. Freshman Sarah Brown said that bid day "was such a terrific experience. Zeta is a wonderful sorority with many beautiful and talented girls."

THINK PINK

The Zeta sisters and new members have a blast at a dance party held Bid Day night. Zeta's theme for Bid Day this year was Lilly Pulitzer, and everything was adorned in pink.

READY TO RACE

Liz Turner, Liz Jaques, Tinsley McCrary, Maggie Nash, and Maggie Poole get ready to go to a mixer with Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity.

SUPER SOAKER

Zeta members have fun getting "soaked" for a good cause. The annual "Save a Life, Soak a Zeta" fundraiser to raise money for Breast Cancer Awareness was held outside of GD11 on a chilly October afternoon. Almost $200 was raised thanks to PC students coming out to pay for the use of water balloons and supersoakers.

One of three sororities on the PC campus, Zeta Tau Alpha is a sisterhood based on the founding motto: "Seek the Noblest". The organization strives to uphold this creed through their national Breast Cancer Awareness philanthropy and by supporting local causes. The sixty-seven members of PC's Kappa Beta chapter annually promote Breast Cancer Awareness through programs like Race for the Cure, Pink Out, or collecting Yoplait lids. During Race for the Cure, held every year in Greenville, SC, sorority sisters "hand out medals to survivors, help host the Survivor's breakfast, help with registration, and some sisters actually walk/run the race," says ZTA president Amy Bolin.

Pink Out, which is held each year to coincide with Parent's Weekend, raises money and awareness while featuring a survivor's lap around the football field at half-time, a balloon release, and distribution of ribbons and information about breast self exams. Last year, it was organized in cooperation with SVS and was successful in raising almost $2,000.

Another inventive breast cancer fundraiser is Save a Life, Soak a Zeta, where students can pay money to "soak" a Zeta. ZTA also annually elects a representative to participate in Big Man on Campus, PC's male "beauty pageant" fundraising benefit. Whether it be volunteering at the Presbyterian Home or Frampton Hall, participating in the Laurens County Hospital Rainbow Connection Breast Cancer Survivors Group, making a quilt for Greenville Memorial Hospital's cancer wing, picking up litter, or working in The Little Thrift Store to benefit the Laurens County Women's Shelter, Zetas stay actively involved in the local community.

As a junior at PC, Callie Price says that her favorite aspects of being a Zeta member range "from going to amazing parties to visiting recovering breast cancer patients, every aspect of ZTA is both fun and incredibly rewarding. I could not ask for a better sisterhood of which to be a part." In addition to organizing service-oriented events, the Zetas also host a variety of sorority parties and mixers each year. Regular events include the Pure Country party, Draft party, Christmas party, and the Crown Ball.

Kappa Alpha Order

BROTHERLY LOVE

Senior Wilson Davis takes a classic picture with his little brother Junior Patrick Garrison at Mountain Weekend. Mountain weekend was a great time to bond with brothers. The KAs came back from Mountain Weekend a closer brotherhood within a tight PC community.

BRAGGING RIGHTS

The graduating pledge class of 2008 celebrates their win in the Battle of Lexington in 2006. The Battle of Lexington is an annual flag football game against the Sigma Nu Fraternity. The pledges of each fraternity played for bragging rights for the following year.

REUNITED

The brothers pose for a picture before the fun of Convivium 2006 begins. Convivium is an annual event in which the birthday of spiritual leader Robert E. Lee is celebrated. It is time for current members and alumni to reunite and bond.

CAROLINA PRIDE

Senior Cody Mitchell and Junior Jim Todd join other KAs from South Carolina at the national convention in Texas. Attending conventions was a great way for brothers of Kappa Alpha to meet other brothers and to learn how to make their own chapter a respectable one. National awards were also awarded at conventions, many of which PC's KA chapter received.

WELCOME ABOARD

The KA pledge class of 2006 holds the KA flag as they stand in front of Neville Hall on Guy's Bid Day. Each year a new class of pledges is presented to the crowd outside of Neville. Bid day was a way of showing off the new members and celebrating their joining.

Kappa Alpha Order is a brotherhood of consideration, courtesy and honor which consists of a close bond of quality Southern gentlemen who have a respect for the community and strive to excel in community service while honoring their philanthropy. The Beta Pi Chapter of Kappa Alpha Order was chartered in 1924. Kappa Alpha has received numerous academic, quality, and involvement awards, both nationally and at Presbyterian College. They have received the Ammen Award for the past three consecutive years for being one of the top 10 KA chapters in the nation. The college's chapter strives to uphold the teachings of those before them and maintain the goal of being true, southern gentlemen.

The addition of the Beta Pi Chapter of the Kappa Alpha Order to Presbyterian College in 1924 has proved to be a key addition of a brotherhood with the college's motto close to heart: "While we Live we Serve." The 2007-2008 president of the Kappa Alpha Order is Presbyterian College's current student body president: Senior Cody Mitchell. The president, along with the rest of the brotherhood, strives to constantly live up to this motto of service. Volunteer service is very important to the brothers of the Kappa Alpha Order. They help out at the local Presbyterian Church, the Presbyterian Home, Thornwell Orphanage and at the local Hospice Thrift Store. Every Thursday the brothers go to the Presbyterian Home and have breakfast with the men there. They also sponsor and coach at least two sporting events at the Clinton YMCA every year. The philanthropy, Muscular Dystrophy Association, is constantly on the minds of the brothers. Every year events are organized to raise money for MDA, including an alumni golf tournament. The Order strives to be top in the nation in helping their philanthropy.

Like any other fraternity, the Kappa Alpha Order plans and takes part in many annual events. One event the community of Presbyterian College looks forward to is the Battle of Lexington, in which Kappa Alpha pledges of the current school year "battle" the Sigma Nu pledges in a fun, yet serious, flag football game. The winner takes home bragging rights until next year's battle. Another exciting event for the brothers is Convivium. Each year the Kappa Alpha Order gathers in an event of celebration and senior speeches to celebrate the birthday of the Order's spiritual leader, Robert E. Lee.

PSA

WALK AND TALK

Students involved in PSA take a walk down the beach during their retreat. The retreat was a great time for students to find God in nature and in fellowship with each other.

ALL TOGETHER

PSA students gather at Montreat and spend time together getting to know new people and talking about where they want their organazation to go in the future.

LOUNGING AROUND

PSA Students joke around while lying in the grass. The gre part about being in an organaztion like PSA is that you alw had people to hang out with around campus.

LAUGHING GAME

PSA students crack up while playing the laughing game on their retreat. The students were able to get away from all of the school work at PC and have a relaxing weekend.

WE'RE HERE

Students joke around once arriving at the destination of their retreat. They were very excited to be able to have a retreat with one another and a good time of fellowship.

The Presbyterian Student Association is a student-led organization on campus that meets weekly for fellowship and fun, such as songs, games, and discussions. Meetings are held on Monday nights at Inklings and are "a great way to begin the week," said freshman Anna George. Students also have the opportunity to attend the Fall Statewide PSA Retreat with other students from across South Carolina.

Though the majority of PSA members are Presbyterian, students from all denominations are encouraged to participate. Senior Kaley Peek remembered, "My freshman year, I was hesitant to go to PSA because I thought it was just for Presbyterians. Now I'm in my fourth year of participating in PSA and even though I'm a Methodist, it's my favorite religious organization on campus. I absolutely love it!"

Also, students of all ages enjoy coming to PSA. Freshman Carrie Bell said, "I've always been proud to be Presbyterian, so going to PSA felt natural to me. Every time I go, I love seeing everyone because there a lot of people I don't get to see on a daily basis. And it's great to have a time specifically set aside for a little goofing off and also some worship, thought, and relaxation."

Spring

March 2-9, 2008
SPRING BREAK!!!! This week is by far one of the most loved weeks of spring. Many spring breaks include either a beach trip, mountain trip, or working at home to make some money!

March 27, 2008
The Housing Lottery is a fun and stressful time for students. Students are eager to find out their lottery number in anticipation to see where they will live for the next school year.

March 29, 2008
Carolina Cup is an event that is filled with college students dressed in their snappy casual attire. This annual event held in Camden is an event looked forward to by students.

Julie Guess, Carrie Moore, and Lauren Bowers in Costa Rica.

April, 2008
Sigma Nu's Beach Weekend is held as the weekends are coming to a close. Each brother invites a date to join him for this weekend adventure to the beach.

May 5, 2008
Cinco de Mayo is just another excuse for a fun holiday celebrated by students! Although students are already out of school for Summer, they still find a way to celebrate this holiday.

March 12, 2008
Up 'til Dawn is a fund-aiser that many students at PC organized to raise money for St. Jude's Children's Hospital. It is just one of many ways that students prove that our motto is upheld.

March 21-24, 2008
Easter is a time of rejoice for students as they are able to go home and celebrate this holiday with their families and also enjoying a 4-day weekend away from school.

April 10-11, 2008
Spring Fling is the last of the Student Union Board's scheduled events. The event consists of a band or singer brought in to perform on PC's lawn.

April, 2008
Closing Convocation is a ceremony that displays the seniors once again as they are bringing their careers at PC to a close. The seniors realize, the classes stop but the learning never quits.

Apr. 28- May 2, 2008
Spring Exams are a time of stress and rejoice as students begin to think about their summer plans and not about exams! Midnight breakfasts are included in this round of exams also.

April & May, 2008
MOVE OUT!!! Some students rejoice as Spring classes come to a close and students begin packing up their stuff for the Summer. The futons are thrown out, and large dumpsters are placed in parking lots.

May 10, 2008
Graduation is a fun and sad time for many as the seniors end their 4, or for some 5, years here at PC. Graduation is held on the West Plaza lawn in front of Belk Auditorium.

Greek Week

March 2008

Presbyterian's Greek Week was held during the week of March 10th this year. All of the fraternities and sororities participated in the eventful week to increase Greek unity. Hunter Murphy said, "I enjoyed Greek Week because it gives Greeks a great opportunity to interact with each other and also get to know others better." This year a competition was held to see which group had the most participation in all of the events. Sigma Sigma Sigma started the week off with their Twist-A-Thon where they raised money for the Robbie Page Memorial. Here students could come play twister for a great cause and have fun with each other. On Tuesday, Zeta Tau Alpha held their annual Big Man on Campus competition. Many boys participated this year in the talent and formal wear competitions. But, at the end of the night, Spencer Hardee walked away with the crown and the title because of his guitar playing and singing abilities. On Wednesday night, Greeks went to Springs Gym for Up Til Dawn to send letters to friends and family in order to raise money for St. Jude's Research Hospital that benefits children with cancer. On Thursday, the sisters of Alpha Delta Pi held their annual PC Open, a golf tournament that raises money for the Ronald McDonald House. Later that day, all the Greeks participated in the Variety Show where each chapter performed a skit of their choice. The sisters of Alpha Delta Pi won the competition. Friday afternoon the three sororities had a luncheon in front of the Senior Apartments catered by Fatz Café. Overall, Greek unity increased during Greek Week because every chapter interacted and had fun with all of the others.

Twist-A-Thon

Sigma Sigma Sigma holds a Twister-A-Thon each year. This year students went to Springs to play Twister. The girls had a great turn out.

Lunch

Having lunch with all of the sororities was a great idea. This year the sisters of each sorority had lunch on the lawn. The food and company were great

Talent Competition

Big Man on Campus is a huge event for Zeta Tau Alpha. This year the boys had a talent and formal wear competition. Zeta had huge support this year from their fellow students.

Golf

Playing golf is a fun way to help out a philanthropy. The boys played in the intramural fields during the afternoon. The turnout for the event was great and everyone who attended had a good time.

The winner is...

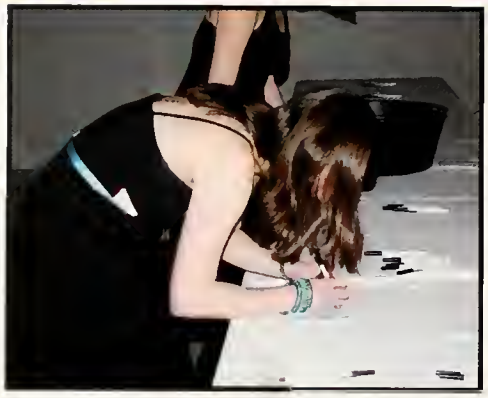
At the end of the night, whoever is left on the floor wins a cash prize. Franziska Knackstedt was the lucky and skillful winner this year.

Up Til Dawn

Up Til Dawn is a great way to give to children with cancer. The first annual Up Til Dawn was a success! Pizza, raffles and t-shirts were available.

The Big Man is...

A winner is chosen at the end of the intense competition. This year Spencer Hardee won the honor and crown. Spencer was definitely a crowd favorite.



LUCK OF THE DRAW

At the end of the night, students traded in their money for raffle tickets. When everyone finished, prizes were given out to lucky students.

POKER FACE

Texas Hold'em is another popular game in Vegas. Many students lost all of their money at these tables while others won big. The dealer had to keep the game going smoothly.

STIFF COMPETITION

Blackjack brings out the competitive side of all gamblers. Yonce was full of blackjack tables surrounded with many players. These students were enjoying a game with their friends.

BEGINNER'S LUCK

Craps allows players to roll the dice and get lucky. Many people played this simple game before they went on to games that were more difficult.

ANTICIPATION

The excitement of the horse race is evident in this picture. Students surrounded the big screen to watch as the horses sped towards the finish line.

Vegas Night

GAME OF LUCK
Roulette is exciting to play because a wheel decides the fate of all playing. Andrew Manley and Trey Boyd worked the roulette table on Vegas Night. This table was very popular with the ladies who wanted to increase their money.

Each year the Student Union Board hosts Vegas Night, a non-Greek event that all students are invited to. This year Vegas Night was on Friday, February 8th from eight until eleven. The formal event was held in Mabry-Smith-Yonce center. Girls wore their cocktail dresses while the boys wore tuxedos. When the students walked in, they received ten thousand dollars (unfortunately it's fake) to play with for the night. Some lost it all while others were very lucky. After receiving their cash, students entered the casino. Slot Machines, Craps, Texas Hold'em, Roulette, Blackjack, and Horse Racing were the games of the night. Horseracing started the night with lots of exciting and shouting. "I loved being in the middle of all the action of the horse races," said Emily Payne. As more students arrived, the blackjack tables and poker tables filled up. One lucky girl won the jackpot on the Slot Machines. Snacks and drinks were available for the students who worked up an appetite. As the night went on, students won money and tickets. At the end of the night, everyone traded in their money for tickets and put those in a raffle. The prizes this year came in a wide variety from gift certificates to expensive things. The big prizes included Guitar Hero III and an iPod touch. After the prizes were given out, students had to leave their fun night in Vegas.

Spring Fling

April 11, 2008

Every year the Student Union Board hosts a huge event on campus. Spring Fling is a day filled with friends, bands, and fun. This year Spring Fling was held on Friday, April 11 from two until ten. Four bands played this year. The Keith Dominick Band played from three to four, Hose Grass from four to five, Wrong Way from six to eight, and Hill Billy Bastards from eight to ten. The event was held on the lawn in front of the senior apartments. SUB teamed with Relay for Life to make both events a huge success. "The fact that they brought Spring Fling and Relay for Life together really showed that the school is involved in the charities the students participate in. It was a great way to get people involved in both events," said Jenna Mills. Starting at two, students and members of the surrounding community were invited for the Opening Ceremony for Relay for Life. After the Opening Ceremony, students could walk the track in front of GDH. Also, bracelets were sold for only three dollars. These could get students all the food and games that they wanted for the day. At the event were inflatable games like obstacle courses and jousting. Also, laser tag was available for the adventurous ones. The entire day was a huge success.

Hose Grass

During the day, PC's own Hose Grass filled the air with music. This group consists of PC students who love to play music. The band drew quite a crowd.

Day of Fun

The event was held on the lawn in front of the senior apartments. People brought blankets and lawn chairs to sit on. Lots of people went out to listen.

JUMPERS

The inflatable games were a hit. Hannah Ringer attempted to run down this inflatable, only to be yanked back towards the wall. Everyone really had fun on the games.

SONIC FRIENDS

Sonic was a sponsor of Spring Fling this year. They gave out coupons for the new store that opened. They dressed up in costume for the children of the community to see.

SNOW CONES

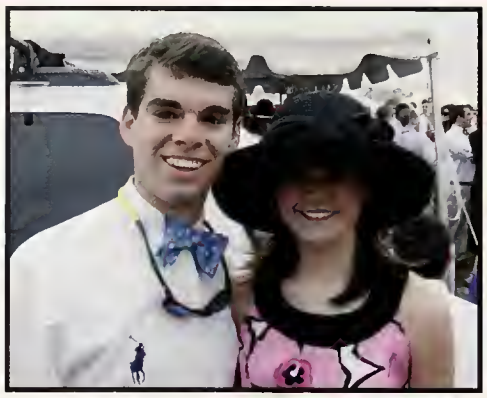
he bracelet had many wards. Sno cones ere given out for free. oung children as well as udents enjoyed the tasty eat on the hot day.

SUPPORT

Different organizations set up booths to support the event. Alpha Delta Pi set up a table giving out free desserts. The girls really enjoyed helping.

LASER TAG

Another fun game that was out that day was laser tag. Students who wanted a little more action than the other games enjoyed this.



HAPPY COUPLES

Many couples attend the Cup together each year. Elizabeth Gault and Corey Gilden had a great time as each other's dates at the Cup.

SMILING FACES

The Cup is a great Saturday away from campus. Everyone looks their best and has a great time, even if it is cold and rainy.

READY, SET, GO

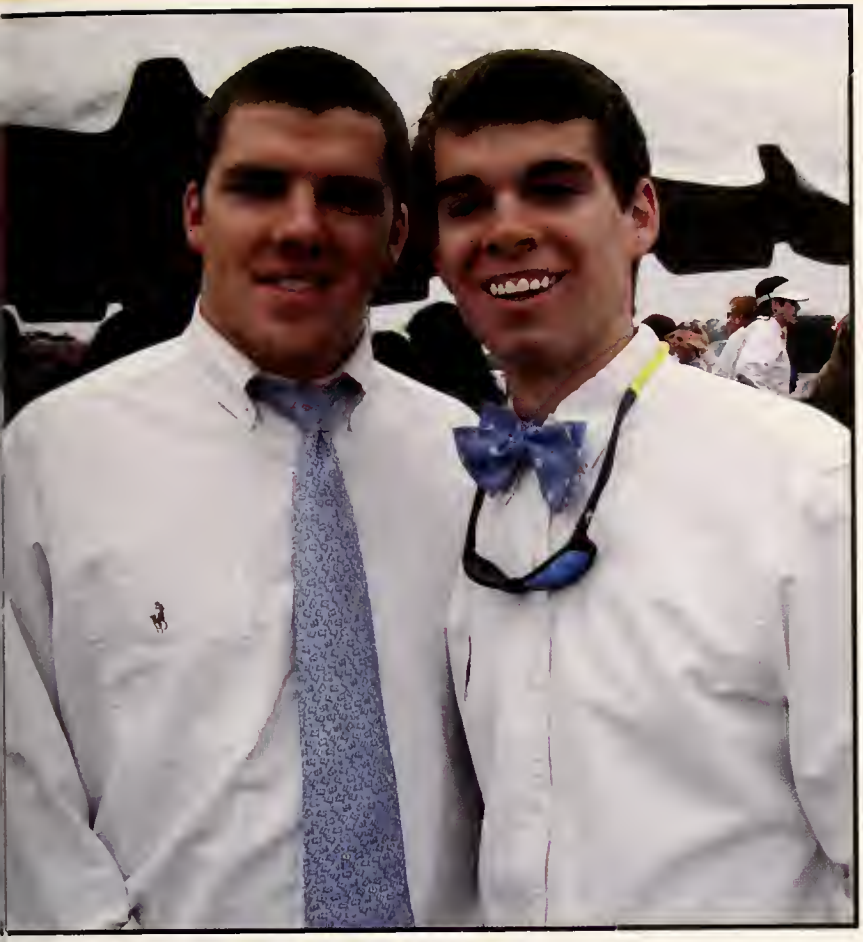
The Carolina Cup is an all day horse race. The track is large and surrounds an infield for people to tailgate in. Every thirty minutes a new race begins.

SNAPSHOT

Ellen Walter, Lauren Joyce, and Erica Deahl take time to pose for a picture. There was only a small amount of time to enjoy the day before the rain came this year.

PRETTY IN PINK

The Carolina Cup is a time for the girls to put on their cutest sundresses. Lilly Pulitzer sponsored the event, so many girls wore dresses by the designer.



Carolina Cup

FRAT FUN
In College Park, fraternities set up tents where they can socialize. Theta Chi brothers Corey Gilden and Ryan Morris had fun listening to music and hanging out at their tent.

March 29, 2008

Every year college students dress up in their cutest clothes and drive two hours to Camden, South Carolina for the Carolina Cup. The Cup, as everyone calls it, is an all day event that allows people to tailgate around a track for horse races. This year the cup was on March twenty-ninth, a grey rainy day. Even though most people do not go to see the races, the day is full of fun and excitement.

Each year there is a section of the lawn just for college students. People set up tents, cook out, dance, and socialize at the event. This year Theta Chi and Pi Kappa Phi set up tents for the PC students to socialize in. The fraternity brothers had a great time throughout the day. Lee Moore said, "The Carolina Cup this year was a great time to spend with the brotherhood, especially the seniors who are soon to graduate, and also see old friends again, while meeting new friends, from other schools." The Cup is a great time to see people from other schools. Many people find old classmates from high school or friends that attend other colleges. Anna Derrick said, "My first time at the Cup was really exciting! It was really fun to see my friends from other schools."

The Cup is also a time to pull out your cutest sundresses and big hats and dress up for the day. Bright colors and floral patterns could be seen everywhere at the event. Boys wear their seersucker and bowties. The entire day filled with horses, old friends, and cute clothes was extremely fun. Even with the rainy weather, everyone who went had a great time!

Spring Break

March 3-March 7, 2008

Spring break is a time that students look forward to every year. The break comes at a perfect time during the spring semester, which is right after a crazy test week! This year spring break came a bit early and was at the beginning of March, but this did not stop students from having great times all over the southeast or wherever they chose to travel to. Many students visited different places. Some seniors visited Jamaica and many other students visited Panama City, Key West or a tropical location such as that. For those that did not visit these places, they just went to the local Carolina beaches and had a good time by just hanging around their best friends at the beach. Other places people went were the mountains. Although not a typical Spring Break trip, the mountains provide that sense of relaxation that you get at the beach. No matter where students traveled to, they all had fun and relaxed as they enjoyed their week off from anything school related.

There are still those other students who were not able to get away from school, such as the athletes or choir members. The baseball players spent their week in Jacksonville, Florida at a baseball tournament while the choir took their annual tour over spring break, this year throughout South Carolina.

Some students chose not to have spring break plans, but instead to go home over break and work. At this point in the semester most students are missing their money-making hometown jobs and choose to work so that they can have fun in the upcoming weeks left of the Spring semester.

Whatever students choose to do over their break, there is one thing so great about spring break, it means that school is close to being out for the summer!

Sophomores Karee Keefer and Kristen Cometto take naps on their way to their Panama City. Many students chose far away locations to travel to because of the chilly weather.

Sam Box, Lockey Powers, and Eason Goins pose for a picture in the lovely tropics of Key West over spring break.

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Sophomores Ellen Walter, Tricia Bryan, and Abby Young enjoy a game of Bocce Ball at the beach over spring break. The Carolina beaches are a classic trip for many college students.

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Junior Lucy Morton became a scuba diver over spring break at Ripley's Aquarium in Gatlinburg, Tennessee. Different adventures like this were always great to try over the break.

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orey Newcomb and Caitlin lcElroy pose with Minnie louse at Walt Disney World. isney World was a great ace to escape for some fun nd relaxation.

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These boys enjoy some food during the choir tour, an annual event full of fun and laughter as the students get away from school for a week.

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Seniors Abby Mayton and Katy Bagley traveled to Jamaica with their friends as they celebrated their last spring break trip as PC students.

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Senior Kyle Craven gets ready to swing at the ball while at bat. Kyle is a starting outfielder and had the team's highest batting average in the 2007 season.

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Junior Cory Lyda waits for the ball while up at bat. Cory has been a three year starter in the outfield for the Blue Hose and will be expected to be a team leader as a senior.

Baseball

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The ten blue hose seniors get together for a picture to celebrate their last year. These seniors got to experience getting the first ever Division I win against UNC - Asheville for the Blue Hose and also got to play the Clemson Tigers at the Greenville Drive Stadium.

UNC Asheville.....L, W, L
Charlotte.....W, L
Marist College.....W, L, W
North Florida.....L, L
Florida A&M.....W
South Carolina.....L
Tennessee.....L
Michigan.....L
Ball State.....L
Yale.....L, W
Charleston
Southern.....L, L, L, W
Wofford.....W, L
USC Upstate.....L, L, W, L
UAB.....W, L, L
Kennesaw State.....L, L
Savannah State.....L, W, W, L, W, L
Gardner-Webb.....L
Clemson.....L
East Carolina.....L, L, L
Virginia Tech.....L, L
Georgia State.....L, L, L
Citadel.....L, L, L, L

STRIKE OUT

Senior Andrew Cockerham releases the ball on a fast pitch at the opponent. Cockerham was one of the team's leading pitchers out of eleven total.

FOCUS

Senior catcher William Bolchoz pulls back to throw the ball to his teammate. The catcher is a very important position, because he has to be able to work well with the pitcher and control home plate. One mistake could cost the team a run. William was one of the team's leaders this year, as he finished the 2007 season with a .321 batting average with 27 hits, 3 doubles, and a .975 fielding percentage. He appeared in 33 games, 26 of which he started in.

HEADS UP

Freshman Morgan White fields a ball at shortstop. Coming in during her first year, Morgan emerged as one of the team's best defensive fielders.

SUPERSTAR

Junior catcher Laura Tate gets ready for the pitch. As one of the team's best players, she led the team in almost all aspects statistically during the 2007 season.

Softball

DETERMINED

Freshman Amanda Miller stretches out to catch a ground ball coming toward her. Amanda is the starting second baseman for the Blue Hose. She earned her starting spot by having "the most grit and determination on the team," Coach Majeski said.

Charlotte.....L, L, L
Charleston Southern.....W, L, W, L
Virginia Tech.....L
Furman.....L, L, W, L
North Greenville.....W, W
Oakland.....W, L
Mississippi Valley State.....W
Western Carolina.....W, W, L, L
Georgia Southern.....L, L
Stetson.....L, L
Liberty.....L, W
Gardner-Webb.....L, L
East Tennessee State.....L, L
Coastal Carolina.....L, L
Longwood.....L, L
Savannah State....W, W, W, W
Winthrop.....L, L
Mercer.....L, W
North Greenville.....W, L
USC Upstate.....L, W

WIND IT UP

Sophomore pitcher Paige Cassady winds up for her pitch. Paige started about half the games this year after being selected to the All-SAC Second Team in 2007.

GET READY

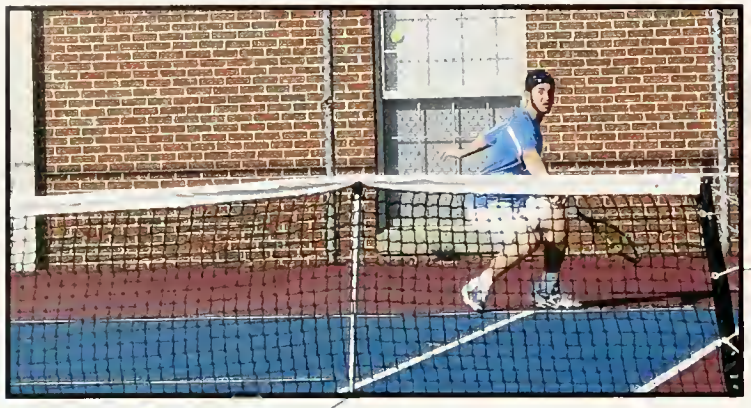
Junior Ashley Ford follows through after her hit. Ashley played in the outfield and has also been one of the team's strongest hitters since her freshman year. She finished the 2007 season with a .313 batting average and 14 extra base hits including 10 doubles. She played in 46 games, which she started 45 of. Ashley is a player the team looks to as a leader and when they need a strong hitter up at bat to pull them through.

BREAK TIME

The players from both teams take a break in between matches. The team finished out their season wonderfully by pulling out three big wins.

BACK ADJUST

The Presbyterian College Men's Tennis team had some huge adjustments to make in moving Division I. The players had an intense practice and playing schedule.



Men's Tennis

GET READY

The players had to be always on their feet ready for their next move. Many of their matches were far away so they also had to be skilled in balancing their sports and their school work.

College of Charleston.....L
North Greenville.....W
Gardner Webb.....L
USC Upstate.....L
Davidson.....L
Wofford.....L
Georgia Southern.....L
Florida Atlantic.....L
Charleston Southern.....L
James Madison.....L
Citadel.....L
High Point.....L
Radford.....L
Mars Hill.....W
Coker College.....W
Erskine.....W

SWING TIME

The men had ten players on their team. This year's team was a young one with only one senior, Zach Glankler.

TIME OUT

Michael Nicol takes a rest for just a moment during his match. He continually played in the position of baseliner.

Women's Tennis

CONCENTRATION

Megan Davis takes a moment to concentrate before serving the ball to her opponent. Tennis like most sports took mental and physical readiness.

READY TO PLAY

The players spent a lot of time together between practice and team events. The girls appreciated their teammates and were glad to have the closeness.

College of Charleston.....L
NC A&T.....W
North Greenville.....W
USC Upstate.....L
Western Carolina.....W
Coastal Carolina.....L
Appalachian State.....L
Charleston Southern.....L
Georgia Southern.....L
Bethune Cookman.....W
California U of PA.....L
Highpoint.....L
Kennesaw State.....L
North Alabama.....L
UNC Asheville.....L
West Virginia.....L
East Carolina.....L
Coker College.....W
Erskine.....L

HERE WE GO

Virginia Waldren waits for her opponent to serve the ball. Her quickness really came in handy so that she could accurately and efficiently return the serve.

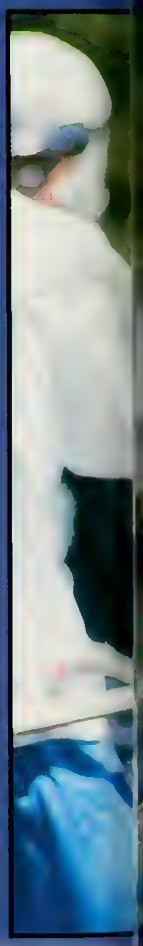
WATCH OUT

Abby Diminich prepares to serve the ball. Her concentration proved useful against her opponent.

DEFENSE

Nick Plaisted fights off an opponent during a match. Plaisted won seventeen of his sixty-seven faceoffs. The defensive end of Lacrosse was a very intense physical part of the game.

Men's Lacrosse



HEADED

The players had to begin a match or a portion of a match in the crouched position with their sticks down. Then the referee would toss the ball for the play to begin.

Limestone.....L
Mars Hill.....L
Siena.....L
Sacred Heart.....Cancelled
Virginia Military.....L
Lafayette.....L
Robert Morris.....L
Duke.....L
Bellarmine.....L
Dartmouth.....L
Hobart.....L
Denver.....L
United States Air Force Academy.....L

TEAMWORK

The Men's Lacrosse team had a total of twenty-seven players this year. They had to travel far distances for their matches including areas like Colorado.

ENDURANCE

Andy Halperin gives his best during the middle of a match. The sophomore played in fourteen games throughout the season.

AGGRESSIVE

Lacrosse is an extremely aggressive sport, particularly when players begin using their sticks against one another.

Women's Lacrosse

DEFENSE

Erin McBurnette defends the goal for the Blue Hose. PC's Women's Lacrosse team has given a great opportunity to a lot of women at PC to be able to play a sport that they love.

ATCH OUT

Erkley Aiken prepares to go on defense as the ball is run up field. Though it was a difficult season, the lacrosse players owed to be determined and talented.

2008 Women's Lacrosse
Wilkes.....W
Misericordia.....W
Longwood.....L
Davidson.....L

FOCUS

Jordan Newberry runs back up field after a play had completed.

Men's and Women's Golf

SWING

Kristin Cometto tees off for the Presbyterian College Women's Golf Team. The golf teams spend a lot of time off campus since PC does not have a golf course very close by.

STRATEGY

Two players discuss their game while in the middle of a match. The players really enjoyed being able to play the sport that they loved for PC.

2008 Men's Golf
Longwood.....4 of 14
Francis Marion.....7 of 16, 5 of 15
Jacksonville State.....4 of 12
Big South Conference.....4 of 7

TIP IN

Players had to know the conditions and tendencies of the courses that they played in order to compete with their opponents.

CADDY WANTED

Both golf teams played well for their first year in division one. It was a tough transition for many of the teams, but they enjoyed playing new schools.

2008 Women's Golf
Appalachian State.....12 of 15
Catawba.....12 of 13
Birmingham Southern.....13 of 15
Winthrop.....11 of 14
Wingate.....8 of 12
Big South Conference.....8 of 8

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Class of 2010

Transfers: What do

"Transferring to PC was a great decision for me because I discovered that a small school atmosphere suited me much better than a larger school atmosphere."

- Lucy Morton

"I transfered because I liked the small school environment, I can get to know so many more people and feel more welcome than at a huge school where I didn't know 3/4 of the people, and I feel like its a friendlier environment. I also transfered to be closer to my home in Spartanburg, and because of the amazing biology department, which as of now I am majoring in."

- Spencer Shelley

Tiffany Atkinson
Natalie Barrineau
Sarah Bellacicco
Shay Bluford

Amanda Bollinger
Catherine Buckingham
Anna Burch
Jennifer Carter

Ellison Cavedo
Mary Hunter Chamberlain
Kristen Cometto
Lauren Coombs

you like more at PC?

"I am so glad I transferred to PC. I transferred from USC because it was too big, and I really missed being part of a team. I can't imagine my life without the wonderful people here at PC. The small class sizes are so conducive to learning, and I feel completely at home here. I'm so thankful and blessed to be at such a wonderful school."

- Kathryn Anne Mooneyham

"I transferred from Clemson to PC because I wanted a smaller school and the personal academic attention that comes more naturally in a liberal arts college. I couldn't be any happier that I made the decision; PC quickly became my home away from home and my favorite place in the world. I love the close environment, my classes and professors, and of course the people here!"

- Lindsey Sink

Leigh Ann Cupp
Sarah Dailey
Megan Davis
Brittni Dulaney

Mary Kathryn Dykes
Lauren Edwards
Grace Escamilla
Kirk Faulkenberry

Alison Feleppa
Leah Fields
Keaton Forrester
Lori Garvin

Elizabeth Gault
Corey Gilden
Elise Giles
Patrick Gillam

Laura Griggs
Lorin Hamilton
Regan Hayes
Cannon Haynes

Corley Hightower
Olivia Hightower
Jessica Hills
Anne Holder

"World politics with Dr. Weaver. I loved learning about all the different things that are going on in the world."

- Laura Griggs

"Risenbieter's Biology 101 because he is so enthusiastic."

- Brian Foley

Caroline Hopkins
Carmen Houston
Jake Johnson
Allison Knaak

Rachel Lamb
Patty Mayton
Caitlin McElroy
Rebekah McFall

Claire Midyette
Rachel Miller
Emily Monk
Anna Katherine Moore

Favorite Class?

"My favorite class at PC has been my freshmen seminar which was "the way of love". I loved the class because we learned about love from many different perspectives, and we learned about how love was viewed in the past and how it is perceived now. The class was really interesting and challenged my perception of what I call love."

-Mellette Johnson

"My favorite class has been Fairy Tales with Dr. Stutts."

- Caitlin McElroy

"'Ice your own cookie day' is my absolute favorite in GDH. Its definitely the tastiest."

- Anna Burch

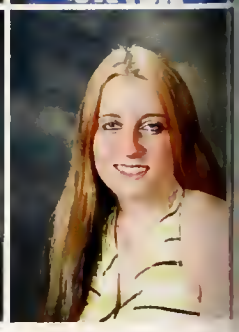
"Let's be honest... GDH can be odd sometimes. But when they have "breakfast day"--and serve breakfast during lunch, I become extremely excited. I don't ever make it to breakfast in the morning, so it's always a surprise! And the hash-browns are jam up."

- Taylor Randall

Borden Morehead
Hunter Murphy
Sara Naeseth
Jeremy Nates

Jordan Newberry
Corey Newcomb
Taylor Newton
Ruan Olivier

Ty Osborne
Andrew Padgett
Brown Patterson
Daniela Pennington



Best Meal at GDH?

"The meal that constantly satisfies me in GDH is the array of cereals. Unlike some of the other options, it never fails to fill me up, and I always know it's ingredients."

- Patty Mayton

"The best meal at GDH is when they have BBQ pizza!!"

- Rebekah McFall

Maggie Perry
James Porter
Lance Poston
Riviere Propst

Paula Rawls
Alison Recknagel
Katherine Rehfuss
Caitlin Rinz

Caitlin Seastrunk
Hampton Sherrin
Erin Smith
Elizabeth Styron

Lauren Thomas
Caroline Todd
Sarah Tollison
Elizabeth Turnage

Katie Turpen
Ellen Walter
Elizabeth West
Sallie Wham

Holly Whatley
Caroline White
Megan Woodis
Ashton Yount

Favorite Current Events

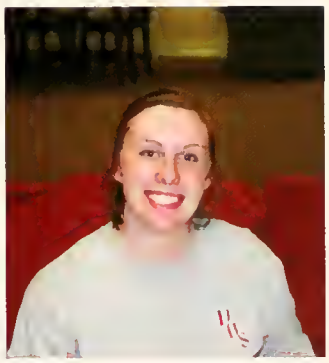
"The Giants winning the Superbowl because the Patriots finally lost."

- Lorin Hamilton

"The elections are exciting this year. I'm a democrat and it's a close race between Obama and Hilary so its exciting to watch."

- Paige Anderson

"March Madness is the current event I am most interested in because I love basketball, and it's fast paced and exciting."



- Lea Smith

"The elections are a really big deal right now. Its interesting to learn more about the candidates and antipate who will lead the country for the next four years."

- James Neal

Lassiter Hall

"It's a much needed face lift for the school. I think it gives students the encouragement that proposed projects do go through as planned."

- Mary Kathryn Dykes

Lassiter Hall is a great addition to the school's academic life. It will allow students to experience biology in a way that was not possible before. It also addressed the schools need for expansion in the science department due to growth in the interest of biology majors. It will give both students and teachers new opportunities to grow and learn. It is just one of the many ways that Presbyterian provides the potential for the best education a student could possibly get. Students throughout the decades to come will learn and grow in this building.

Buisness

- Joni Bratton

Since I have been at PC, my favorite business class has been Managerial Communications. This class has been really interesting and taught me some useful tools that I can apply to a future job. Next year after graduating I hope to find a job in sales.

- Amanda Graves

"Being an education major has been hard work, but it's all worth it when you step into the classroom! Teaching and interacting with students is really fun, they always have cute things to say. My favorite class has been Social Studies methods with Dr. Lee, we've done a lot of time consuming work, but all of the projects have been very meaningful. As an early childhood major, I have found that we have formed very close relationships with all of our classmates, it is a benefit that no other major offers. Next year, I plan to start teaching in either a Kindergarten or second grade class."

Education

English

- Dr. Kingsbury

"Here I offer two short phrases which have offered me much food for thought over the years:1) Measure your strength. (C.T. Hsia) 2) Only connect. (E.M. Forster)."

- Rachel Guy

"I would say that the English dept is always fun, and the professors always share their passion with their students and act almost like a family with their students."

-Lauren Joyce

"In the history department, we're really one big family. I feel like I can go to any of my professors with problems or questions about anything. Being a history major is one of my favorite things at PC."

History

Alpha Sigma Phi

JINGLE BELLS

The Alpha Sigma Phi Christmas Party is a great time to get together for fun with friends and dates. Andrew Buccellato and Justin Doyle got into the Christmas spirit by singing together.

CELEBRATE

The Pledge Class of 2007 enjoys their bid day together. Even though things got a little crazy, the boys enjoyed their first day of being part of the fraternity.

FULL OF EXCITEMENT

Boys bid day is full of excitement for everyone. Travis Schmi celebrated his new membership to Alpha Sigma Phi while T. Scott enjoyed the addition of the pledges to the fraternity.

Holiday Cheer

Two Alpha Sigma Phi brothers take part in the festivites at their Christmas party. It was a great time for them to dress up and have a good time with brothers and dates.

HO HO HO

At the Christmas Party Santa, Lawrence Greer, follows fraternity tradition. Many dressed up to entertain the other brothers and their dates.

Alpha Sigma Phi, Alpha Psi was founded at Presbyterian College on May 12, 1928. Since then, the fraternity has allowed its brothers to strengthen their bonds with one another. Will Allen said, "To me, this fraternity is a place of belonging, acceptance, and comfort. I did not rush until my sophomore year because I wanted to determine where my true friends really existed on this campus. They have embraced me as much as I have embraced them."

Their philosophy, "To Better the Man" and their purpose, "To create and perpetuate brotherhood through the continuous practice of out five core values: Silence, Charity, Purity, Honor, and Patriotism" encourage each member of the fraternity to become a better person and to help his brother better himself. They also support their philanthropy Canine Companions for Independence, which is a national nonprofit organization that provides children and adults with highly trained assistance dogs and ongoing support in bettering their lives through establishing successful partnerships. Since its beginning in July 1975, CCI has graduated over 2500 human and canine teams.

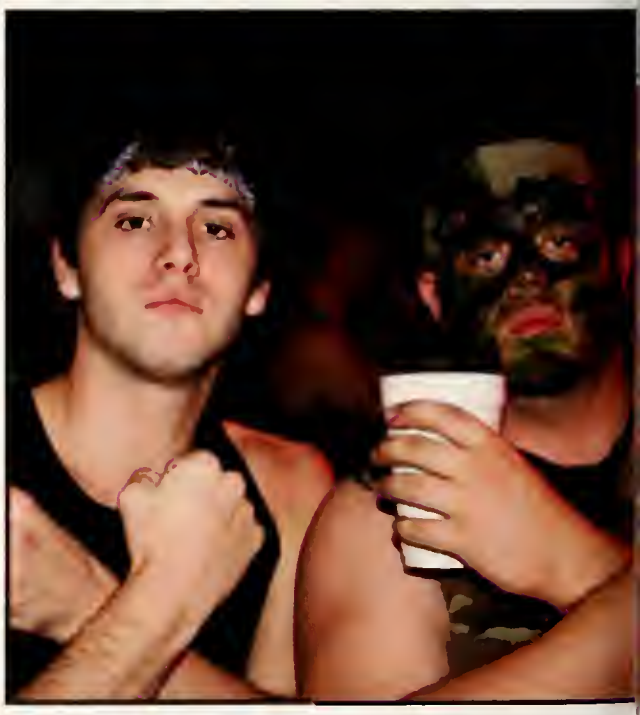
Pi Kappa Alpha

ALOHA

Juniors Will Stewart and David Hetu chill on the couch at Pike's Hawaiian Party. Hawaiian is an annual party hosted by Pike at the end of each school year. Students dress up Hawaiian-style and join in on the festivities such as pig roasting and volleyball.

BROTHERS FOR LIFE

The Pike brothers, currently over 50 members, show their pride as they take a picture in their house. The house's floor was recently refinished. The brothers partake in brotherhood events to strengthen their bond.



ROCK ON

Pike brothers and roommates Juniors Wilson White and Colt Marcengill throw up the Pike symbol at the annual Apocalypse Party. Each year Pike brings in a metal band to perform at their party. Pikes and other students dress up in their camo and join in on the fun of the party and band.

TOGA! TOGA!

Seniors Hunter Thornhill and Terrance Blake dress up in their classic and unique togas so they can have some fun at Toga Party. Toga Party is an annual Pike Party. All students are welcome to attend this fun party in which everyone dresses in togas of all sorts.

SHOW ME THE MONEY

Juniors Will Stewart, Blake Skipper, and Ryan Thackray show their enthusiasm at their annual mixer with Alpha Delta Pi. The theme was "Las Vegas" and many attendees dressed up as the various things that make up Las Vegas.

Presbyterian College's Mu Chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha was founded on December 9, 1890. Presbyterian's Mu Chapter is the only fraternity at the school to not have philanthropy, but the brothers still strive to take part in activities that better the community along with the brotherhood. Pi Kappa Alpha, commonly known as Pike, has shown their dedication to the school through their numerous awards. Just this year, they were awarded seven of possible thirteen awards including Alumni Relations, Educational Programming, Financial Management, President's Cup, Scholarship Cup, Chapter Administrations, and Varsity Athletics. These numerous awards show their scholarly members, athletic members, and many more. The Pike Alumni is also a very strong factor in their success on campus. Their alumni have supported the funding of many projects, but most recently, the fraternity house's floor was refinished.

Pike's President Senior Joey Orck along with Vice President Senior Drew Weller, along with the rest of the brothers of the Mu Chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha pride themselves for having the biggest pledge class two years in a row. The tradition of the Pike fraternity nationwide is the record numbers of membership. PC's chapter has raised their membership, with the addition of their 17 pledges, to more than 50 brothers. This serves as a milestone that places Pike's membership as the most on Presbyterian College's campus.

The fraternity hosts many mixers throughout the year, including public parties open to the entire campus. Pike's annual events are Apocalypse, Christmas Party, Fireman's Ball, located in the mountains, and Hawaiian Party. They also host mixers with each sorority and other miscellaneous parties such as Superheroes or Stash Bash. Another thing that Pike is known for is their fire truck. An old fire truck purchased by the fraternity serves as the icon for the campus to associate with Pike. The fraternity's crest is painted on the side, and the fire truck is frequently seen at sporting events.

For over 116 years, Presbyterian College Mu Chapter has turned out some of the finest gentlemen in our country. Pi Kappa Alpha has the largest membership of any social fraternity in the world and continues to grow. Through their rich history and dedication to tradition, Pi Kappa Alpha will continue to mold the future leaders of America.

Sigma Nu

Out n About

Sigma Nu brothers spend lots of time together outside of PC. No matter where they were this past year, they had fun together. This picture was taken during White Star, one of their retreats.

Go Team!

The Battle of Lexington is a competition between Kappa Alpha and Sigma Nu. The boys rallied together to compete closely with the other team.

Pile on

When boys come out of Neville, the brothers pile them on. All of the anticipation and excitement ended in a huge Sigma Nu pile. The boys enjoyed being presented to the campus.

Sigma Nu Pride

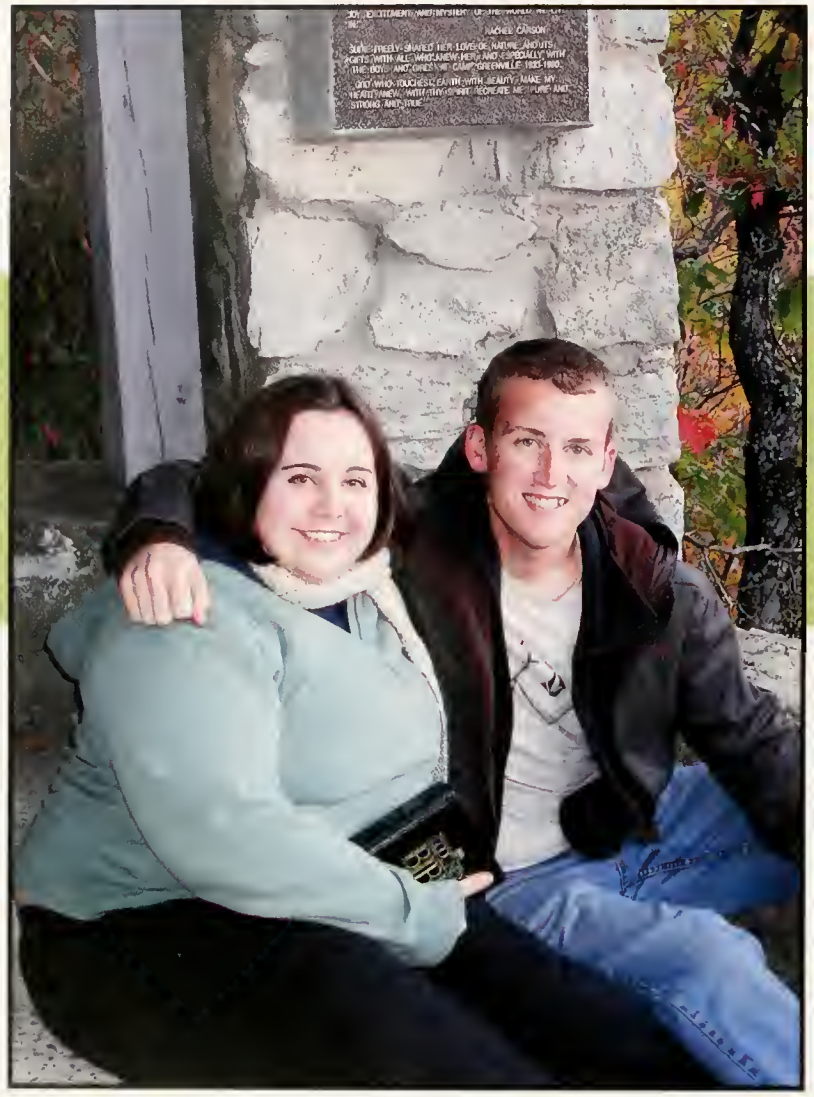
Sigma Nu's flag represents their brotherhood. Some of the boys decided to fly their flag at the house one day. The brothers are proud to be a part of this fraternity.

GO HOSE

Everyone supports the Blue Hose during football season. This year Sigma Nu painted up to support their friends and fellow students. Sigma Nu loved showing their school spirit.

Presbyterian's Zeta Theta Chapter of Sigma Nu fraternity meets at the fraternity house for regular meetings. A group of men at Virginia Military Institute founded this organization in 1869 against hazing because it was a growing problem on the campus. Their badge is patterned after the White Cross of the French Legion of Honor. This fraternity stands for love, truth, and honor; the boys try to uphold these standards every day. The fraternity serves their community as well as being a social organization. Every year Sigma Nu and Kappa Alpha play in a football game called the Battle of Lexington. This is a very intense competition between the two fraternities, but Sigma Nu plays with great sportsmanship. Besides the football game, Sigma Nu holds a 70's party each year. This party is open for anyone to attend and is a huge event for the brothers. Cupid's Revenge is Sigma Nu's formal date party each year. Sigma Nu does not have fun without working for it. The boys help their community in many ways. They assist Champs house in helping the youth around Clinton. The brothers also help support underprivileged children in Kenya by sending funds so that the children can attend high school for four years. Other community services that the boys participate in are highway cleanups and their annual janitor cookout to show their appreciation for all of the hard work. A freshman Josh Kerns said, "I love it. They are a great group of guys and would do anything for any brother in the fraternity." This shows just how tight the bonds between the brothers of Sigma Nu are.

Celtic Cross



Quality Time

The group members grew closer together as well as closer to God. They went on a retreat to Camp Greenville in order to do this

Coin' to the Chapel

The students gathered on the rocky steps. They enjoyed both the view and each other's company while waiting to go to chapel

BREAK TIME

A group of Celtic Cross members sit around and talk while on a break at their winter retreat. They thoroughly enjoyed th time that they got to use to bond with one another.

Mountain View

The whole group gathers for a photo. They enjoyed this wonderful view of the cross and the mountains during the duration of their retreat.

Enjoying the View

Here, a group of members are standing on the rocks enjoying the view. Celtic Cross members came to the chapel often to have services.

Celtic Cross is a religious organization that provides Presbyterian College students a supportive community within which they can explore the meaning of vocation and call as Christians engaged in the journey of faith, recognizing the validity and importance of both lay and professional ministry. Celtic Cross was created and made into an official organization on campus in 1995. It is considered a model for church leadership developmental programs. Celtic Cross is a joint ministry of First Presbyterian Church of Spartanburg, SC and Presbyterian College. This program allows people to participate in a variety of leadership programs throughout the year including two annual retreats, two workshop seminars, and leadership teams with mentors that provide worship/program leadership opportunities once or twice a semester. Participants are also encouraged to participate in summer work, conferences, special academic courses, spring break/ May trips, as well as various on-campus activities and international studies. This program has attracted nationally known speakers and mentors from across the state that provide excellent programs for the enrichment of Celtic Cross members.

Multicultural Student Union

WORKIN' HARD

MSU is a huge part of campus life. This year the members have been involved in many service projects around the community and on campus. This group of students worked hard.

FUN TIMES

Every club has lots of fun times together. MSU is such a tight-knit group that they always have fun together. Antwan Thomas is laughing so hard with his friends during a get together.

WRAP IT UP

Wrapping the presents is the hardest part of Operation Christmas Child. The members of MSU all worked together to get the job done.

REPRESENT

MSU hosts two fraternities and a sorority. Zeta Phi Beta is the sorority. Phi Beta Sigma and Omega Psi Phi are the two fraternities that are on campus. The boys represented the organizations well.

SINGING IN THE RAIN

Different organizations set up tables each year at the block party. This year MSU attended the event to show off their club. Even though it rained, the members and prospects had fun.

There are around thirty members in Multicultural Student Union. They meet every other Tuesday in the H-P Amphitheater or the Charlotte Hawkins Brown Cultural House. This group supports, unifies, and serves all students through a diverse offering of educational, spiritual and social activities. Amber Howard describes MSU as "enrichment through cultural differences." One of the service opportunities that they participate in is supporting Operation Christmas Child by buying presents and wrapping them for children in need. This year was their first year putting on a service project for Operation Christmas Child. They raised $1,037.52 for the project and put seventy-two shoeboxes together! They gave many children the opportunity to have a merry Christmas this year. Each year, MSU has a special remembrance program for Martin Luther King Jr. This year they hosted "Progressions," an event that tracked the progression of all Americans, not only African-Americans. They also hosted the Agape Ball for the entire student population. People enjoyed their night of dancing and socializing. Donations were taken for AIDS awareness program that they support at the ball. This year, for the first time in a long time, they also hosted their very own banquet at the Depot on April 10. The event took place at seven o'clock and was a great success. Members had lots of fun and celebrated all of their wonderful accomplishments from the entire year. Amber Howard says this about MSU, "Bringing CHANGE through DIVERSITY!!"

Summer

May-July, 2008

Summer School is a way for students to catch up on their studies and to take classes that are challenging in the regular school year. Many upperclassmen and rising freshman attend summer school.

August 3, 2008

Many students headed up to Charlotte to see the Rascall Flatts/ Taylor Swift concert. The concert was held at the Verizon Wireless Amphitheater.

August 19, 2008

International Students arrive to PC on this day. It is an exciting day for both the International Students and the PC students that live in CIH.

Sally Beseuden helps Perrin Tribble [illegible]

Freshmen are welcomed to Orientation.

August 22-26, 2008

Freshman Orientation is a way for freshman to begin meeting new people and also a way to enjoy their first few days on campus. Many activities are planned as a way to welcome the students.

Summer, 2008

RA training is a time in which the new and old members of the RA staff bond and it's also a time when RAs learn how to best help their halls for the upcoming school year as they get to know one another better.

July 4, 2008

Whether students are at home for the summer or at summer school, they find a way to celebrate this fun holiday! Many students get together for a weekend at the lake or beach.

August 22, 2008

MoveIn Day for freshman is a big deal at PC. The Hose Leaders help freshman move all of their stuff into the dorms as a way of welcoming them. They are also there to help lost people.

August 23-26, 2008

Service Day is part of Orientation and is a way for the freshman to show their early commitment to the community, all the while fulfilling PC's motto of While We Live, We Serve.

August 24, 2007

Last year, the 80's dance was hosted by the Student Union Board as part of orientation festivities. Not only the freshman were invited, but also all of the upperclassmen.

September 9, 2008

The graduating class of 2009 put on their caps and gowns for the first time and attended Opening Convocation. This was a time for the freshmen and seniors to be honored.

Commencement

TOP CLASS
Valedictorian Britney Greer takes her walk to the stage to accept her award. A lot of sweat and hardwork were put forth to achieve such an accomplishment.

WE'RE DONE
Two graduated seniors pose for a picture together. Everyone was excited that the day was finally there, but also sad that their time at PC was ending.

RELAXED

The 2008 graduated relaxed and had a good time at their commencement ceremonies. It was a warm beautiful day and they really enjoyed all of the festivities.

LAST SPEACH

Cody Mitchell gave his last speach to his class the day of commencement. This speach was not for Student Body President though, it was for 2008 Senior of the Year.

"IMPRESSIVE"

Dr. Brian Beasley gives a speach at the 2008 Commencement ceremony as the honored Faculty Member of the Year.

THE WALK

The 2008 Junior Marshalls led the graduating class and faculty into their seats. The Junior Marshalls were choosen by their GPA.

ALL SMILES

Sarah Lloyd shows her family members her honor cords. The graduates were so excited to be moving ahead and into alumni status.

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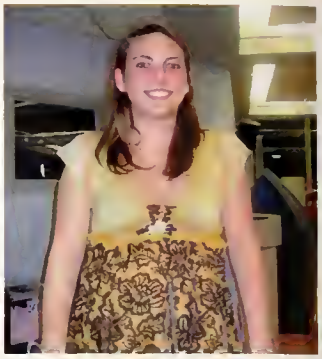
Class of 2011

Smythe vs. Belk

"Belk!"

- Perrin Tribble

"Smythe because I have a really big room"



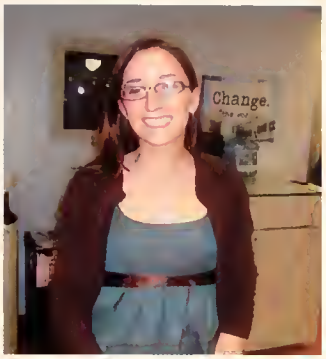
- Lindsay Lightmas

Jennifer Andrews
Kyle Ankerich
Gracie Antonelli
Jel Arriaga

Kathleen Ball
Logan Berry
Michael Butler Jr.
Mary Carpenter

Spencer Cary
Matthew Cauble
Sarah C. Christenberry
Christina Clemens

"You get your own room in Smythe and you don't have to buy your own toilet paper."



- Anna George

"Belk because you have your own bathroom so you don't have to share it with everyone."

-Mary Carpenter

Waverly Cole
Justin Conklin
Katyra Conner
Nancy Cooper

Erica Deahl
Thomas Dempsey
Anna Derrick
Briggs Dorn

Zach Dukes
Erin Emory
Austin Ervin
Akeem Favor

Dj Fredericks
Megan Fried
Jennifer Fuller
Anna George

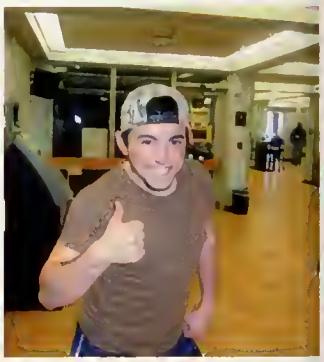
Amber Giles
Kirsten Hallman
Plyler Hamilton
Rebecca Henderson

James Hicks
Joshua Hinson
Daniel Huggins
Elizabeth Hughes

"The work load. High school is nothing compared to college."

- Andrew Brandt

"The cafeteria food."



- Josh Kerns

Katie Hunter
Nellie Jenkins
Megan Jimenez
James Johnson

Daniel Jordan
Caroline Parks Langford
Seth Law
Lacey LeRoy

Lindsay Lightmas
Ryan Lowery
Anna Malone
Bryan McDaniel

Hardest Adjustment?

"Going from having my own room and then having to share everything."

- Deidre Webb

"Being without a car."

-Elizabeth Hughes

"The friendly people made me want to come to PC."

- Link Garland

"It's a great school and I love the people here."

- Chris Carter

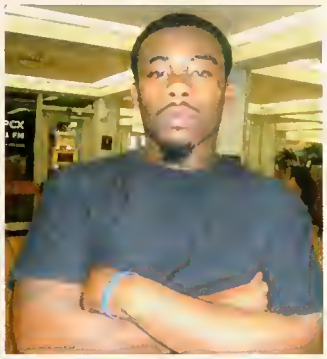
Elizabeth McDonald
Hannah Mclear
Joey McMillan
Jon Merriweather

Cam Miller
Jenna Mills
Holtie Murphy
Moses Nester

David Nguyen
Robby OHarold
Ian Palmer
Anna Pardew

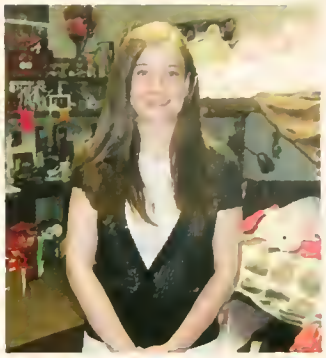
Why PC?

"My high school coaches and teachers recommended that I come here."



- Craig Boykin Jr.

"The people are the main reason I wanted to come to PC. Everyone is personal and open minded."



- Alice Cook

Emily Payne
Kayla Peterson
Layton Powers
Statia Price

Anne Pursley
Lillian Reid
Keiera Richey
Eric Robertson

John Robinson
Donna-Jean Royals
Travis Schmidt
Jillian Scott

Stewart Self
Meghan Skinner
Katy Snipes
Tom Stein

Lauren Still
Jacob Street
Robert Stubbs
Katie Stutzman

Erin Tharpe
Perrin Tribble
Sean Tropea
Doris Turner

What store/restaurant

""I would add a Chic- fil-A... YUM!"

- Kayla Peterson

"A movie theatre or Target because not everyone has a car to drive to one and Target has a better atmosphere and practices."

- David Nguyen

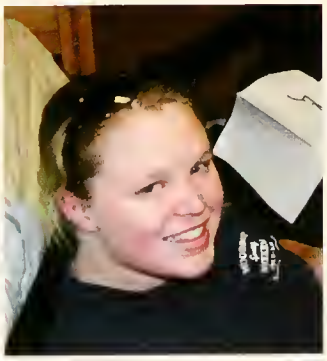
Edward Van Winkle
Jimmy Vasiliou
Deidre Webb
McKenzie Wells

Shelley Whitehead
Carly Wicklund
William Wilkins
Terri Wilson

Ahyoun Yun

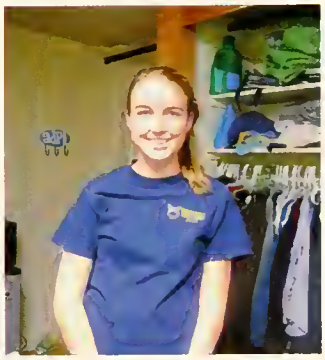
added to Clinton?

"If Clinton had a Target I would never have to go to the sketchy Wal-Mart."



- Laura May

"I would love a Chic-fil- A here."



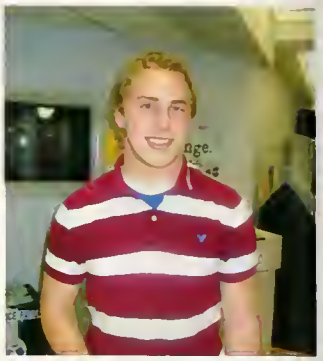
- Emily Todd

Where is Weekend Fun

"The houses are the place to be on the weekend."

- Colin Medlock

"The fraternity houses and townhouses."



- Zach Holt

"At the houses with my friends."

- Emily Payne

"Out at the houses."

- Amber Giles

Biology

- Dr. Hudson

"I cannot imagine teaching a subject that is more exciting than biology! To probe into the mysteries of life, to uncover amazing interactions from the cellular to the ecological level simply takes my breath away. It is, in a way, a real worship experience. Even more rewarding is to see students catch this excitement and launch into a lifetime of work in some arena of the biological sciences, either pure biology (as in research) or in one of the many applied fields. I really feel that I have accomplished more by encouraging so many talented students than if I had made a great biological discovery myself. What a rewarding life!!!!"

- Rachael Hinson

"Although many people wince when I tell them that I'm a chemistry major, it really makes me proud when I think about it. It's a hard major, however the professors in that department want nothing more than for their students to succeed, majors or not. After working with Dr. Gouge with the PC Summer Fellows program last summer, I have realized that great things are and will be coming out of that department for years to come. Those professors want to push the boundaries to learn more about our bodies, plants, new compounds, instruments, etc. My mom told me that biology was the way to go--chemistry was going to be a challenge. I'm glad that I took that challenge at PC because the professors make it a little more bearable. Yes I complain that being a chemistry major is hard, but when I really think about it--I can't imagine myself anywhere else."

Chemistry

Physics & Computer Science

Dr. Meeker, Dr. Smith, Dr. Bell, and Dr. Rains

Dr. Beasley, Dr. Daniel, Dr. Shavo, Dr. Goeckel, and Dr. Harshaw

Mathematics

Grounds

Writing Center:
Jill Frey and Jessica Ziegler (tutor)

Maintenance

Information Technology:
Carolyn Wright, Tammy Tran, Sandy Dowdle, Jean Copeland, Penny Ginn, Bill Yarborough, Rob Howiler, Raymond Ruff, Nellie Shelton, and Les Jones

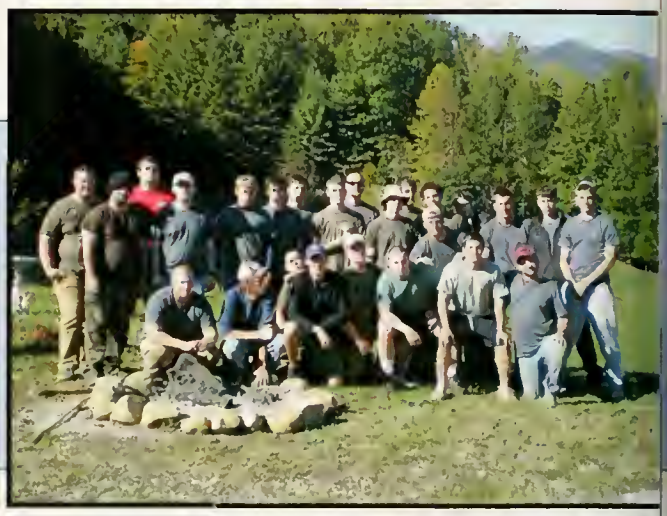
Housekeeping

Faculty and Staff

Campus Outreach

TOUGH GUYS

The guys who went on the men's retreat pose for a picture in front of the scenery. They strengthened their relationships with God by focusing on Him for a weekend while enjoying the outdoors and escaping their busy lives.



GIRLS' NIGHT IN

The girls retreat this year took place at Lake Greenwood. They focused their attention on getting to know each other and God even better, while also enjoying fun activities like a dance contest.

NAUGHTY OR NICE

In order to get into the holiday spirit, Campus Outreach held "Uncle Eddie's Christmas Party." The students dressed up in creative, tacky costumes and had a white elephant theme.

ALL EARS

At the 2007 ATL Conference, Summer Rayl and Ali Douglas are ready to hear a great message from the speaker. Those who went on this trip were able to learn more about God, each other, and other members of Campus Outreach from other schools in the Southeast.

COUNTDOWN TO MIDNIGHT

At the ATL conference Terri Wilson, Summer Rayl, Katie Goslin and Micah Mallory celebrate the New Year. They ushered in 2008 by playing games and and enjoying good fellowship.

Campus Outreach is an organization that allows students to come together weekly to worship. It offers students many opportunities to grow closer to each other and to God. In addition to the worship services, smaller Bible study groups also met at other times throughout the week.

The group went on both men's and women's retreats throughout the year. One of the highlights of the year was the ATL Conference where colleges throughout the state gathered for worship, games, and tournaments in Atlanta over winter break. This year's theme was Illusions, and the main focus was on determining what were really truths and what were just society's illusions of truth.

Ben Creasman led the meetings every Tuesday in the Campus Outreach house by speaking about inspiring lessons and raising interesting questions. Before he spoke, there was usually a funny skit presented and then either music or a testimony given. There were many different students who led the praise and worship and participted in the meetings.

By being a part of Campus Outreach, or by just going to a meeting here and there, many students felt like they were able to make new friends and enjoy fellowship with other students. It gave them time to take a break from their busy days and reflect on their lives.

Student Union Board

YUMMY

Juniors Kate Morgan and Kathryn Anne Mooneyham enjoy the food at Shuckin and Shaggin. This event is hosted annually by SUB and is a great way to provide a transition from summer to the beginning of the school year.

ALL DRESSED UP

Juniors Meredith Johnson and Carolyn Bian-Lingle stop to pose with sophomore Anna Burch at the Fall Formal. The Homecoming dance was a great way for students to see friends and to enjoy the beginning of the weekend's festivitie

TAKIN' A BREAK

Some of the members of SUB stop to pose for a picture at the Shuckin and Shaggin Event. The members do so much to make the event sue ceed, but by the end of the night they are happy with the outcome.

ROSES ARE RED

Special Events Co-Chair Sophomore Anna Burch makes sure everything is in order for the announcement of Homecoming Court. This was another event that SUB spent a lot of time planning.

WORKING TOGETHER

The team that makes up the Student Union Board is a dedicated and exciting group of students. These students put in many hours to host events throughout the year like Shuckin' and Shaggin' and Spring Fling.

Student Union Board is, in the words of the President Junior Kelsey Dotson, "to further the activities of student life, promote a widespread interest in campus and student affairs, [and] develop a greater spirit of progressive citizenship, which is achieved by providing activities for the whole (students, faculty, and staff) of PC to enjoy."

The Student Union Board was created as an organization designed to enhance the student life on campus by providing numerous opportunities for entertainment. SUB is responsible for organizing many big events and following through with all parts of the set up of the events during the year. These events include Homecoming Week in the fall and Spring Fling Week in the spring. Student Union Board also sponsors and plans annual events such as the Shuckin & Shaggin dance, Fall Formal, Vegas Night, and other various concerts, dances, and events; they also sell t-shirts for each event as a way to get the school excited about such planned events.

An Executive Council of student members is elected by current Student Union Board members and each student member holds a specific position in coordinating these events; the executive members include President Junior Kelsey Dotson, Vice President Junior Parker Ann Baxley, Special Events Co-Chairs Sophomore Anna Burch and Junior Carolyn Bian-Lingle, Concerts Chair Junior Reese Blackwell, Spirits Chair Junior Berkley Aiken, Financial Secretary Senior Carson Davis, and Advertising Chair Senior Guy Dooley.

In addition to the executive board of members, there are also general members who participate in the selling t-shirts, setting up for events, and other miscellaneous activities to help make the events a success. Junior Lucy Morton says, "I like attending the events planned by SUB and knowing that I, as a general member, helped to make this event possible," about being a general member. As a group formed for the students' entertainment, the Student Union Board provides many opportunities for socialization, forming of new friendships, and a break from the stress of school.

Student Volunteer Services

PEEK-A-BOO

Junior Haley Harper enjoys her time working at Our Little Thrift Store. Even though members provided their services for long hours many times, there was usually a lot of fun involved as well.

BEST AND BRILLIANT

Four members take a well deserved break during the SVS Coordinator Retreat. This retreat was helpful in forming bonds and organizing plans.

RED AND JUICY

A group of students shows off the tomatos they picked on a warm summer day. During orientation, SVS sponsored a service day for the freshmen in which each group went to different sites to help out with various activities.

SLIP 'N' SLIDE

Beth Ubbens takes a trip down an inflatable slide at the SVS Coordinator Retreat. Members were able to partake in many fun activities in between all of their hard work.

A HELPING HAND

Freshman Kat Leitner helps out by organizing a table at Christ Central Ministries. Kat was one of the freshmen who eagerly became involved with SVS during her first semester.

Student Volunteer Services, or SVS, is the largest student run organization on campus. SVS provides students with an opportunity to connect with an organization of their choice in the Clinton area or on campus. SVS was founded by Mr. Jack Renard Presseau and has been an official presence on campus since 1966. SVS members work on various projects throughout the year including several homes for the elderly, local schools, and the Thornwell Children's Home.

SVS also hosts annual programs such as Project Life and Special Olympics. Project Life is a spaghetti dinner fundraiser to help pay for the medical procedures included in extracting and transplanting bone marrow. The Special Olympics takes place each spring and PC helps out with the games and events. There is an extremely hgih percentage of PC students that are involved in some way with community service.

Kaley Peek says that PC's reputation for service is one of the reasons she chose to come to PC. In high school, she had helped at a homeless shelter, among other things, and hoped to be able to continue being active in the community at college. Service work is one of the unifying factors on the Presbyterian College campus. The 2007-2008 officers were Emily Saxon, Kaley Peek, Lauren Thomas, and Liz Boley, witih Ms. Lucy Strong serving as the coordinator of volunteer services.

ROTC

MARCH ON

The Ranger Challenge team finishes their ruck march during the Ranger Challege held at Fort Jackson, where students fron Southern schools compete in many different events.

READY, FIRE

Between their Junior and Senior year, cadets attend the ROTC Leader Development and Assessment Course located at Fort Lewis in Washington. Here Corey Wynn qualifies with an M-16 on a shooting range.

WHICH WAY?

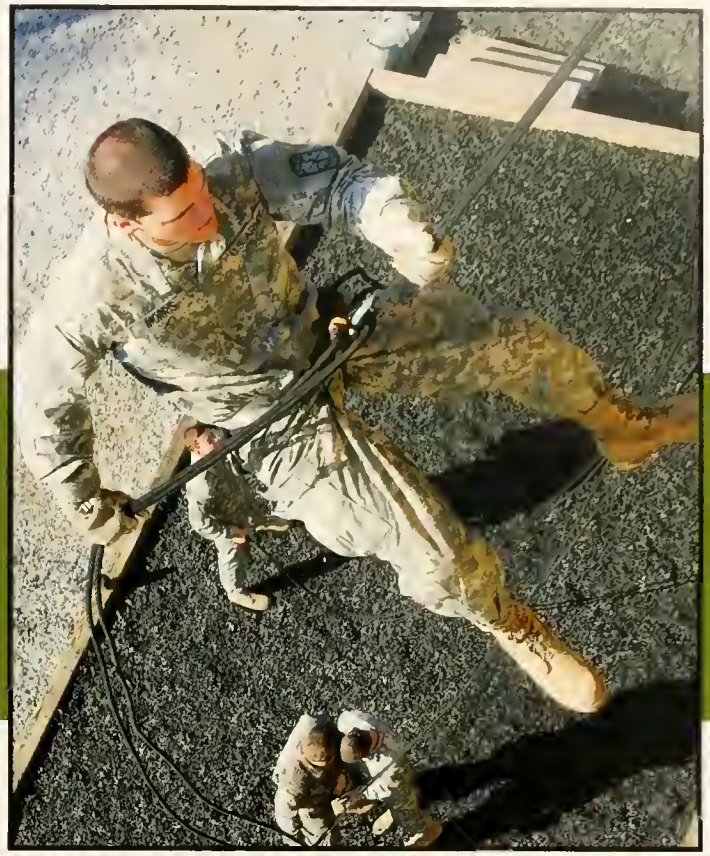
Cadets prepare to take on a land navigation course at the Whitten Center. It challenged their ability to read maps and plot routes and use a compass.

KEEP IT UP

Senior Anthony Harris navigates an obstacle course at Fort Jackson during the FTX. It challenged his strength and endurance.

FALL ON

Freshman Ryan Morris repels down a tower. The ROTC members do this Field Training Exercise at Fort Jackson each semester. This helped them to prepare them for the future.



ROTC is a program that teaches leadership and management skills needed to become a U.S. Army officer or have a successful civilian career. It has been on campus since 1919, making it one of the oldest programs in the country. PC is the host program, but has satellite programs at Newbury College, Lander University, and Erskine College. Army ROTC is looked at through the business world as the best leadership program available to young people in the world today. The program focuses on basic introduction to the military, time management, communication skills, and the importance of completing a task. ROTC has two phases: introductory and advanced. The introductory stage is open opened for any student on campus who wants to take an introductory leadership class to learn important life skills. The advanced stage is for college students who are on scholarships or contracted with the U.S. Army to take a commission as a second Lieutantent following graduation. ROTC meets in the basement of Jacobs Hall and the battalion commander is Cody Mitchell. ROTC holds labs every Thursday where cadets train with paintball or learn life survival skills. Cadets also get the opportunity to ride in a UH-60 BlackHawk helicopter a few times a semester. Another event that cadets take part in is a training weekend, or FTX, once a semester in Ft. Jackson, SC.

Wilderness Activities, WAP

SMOOTH SAILING

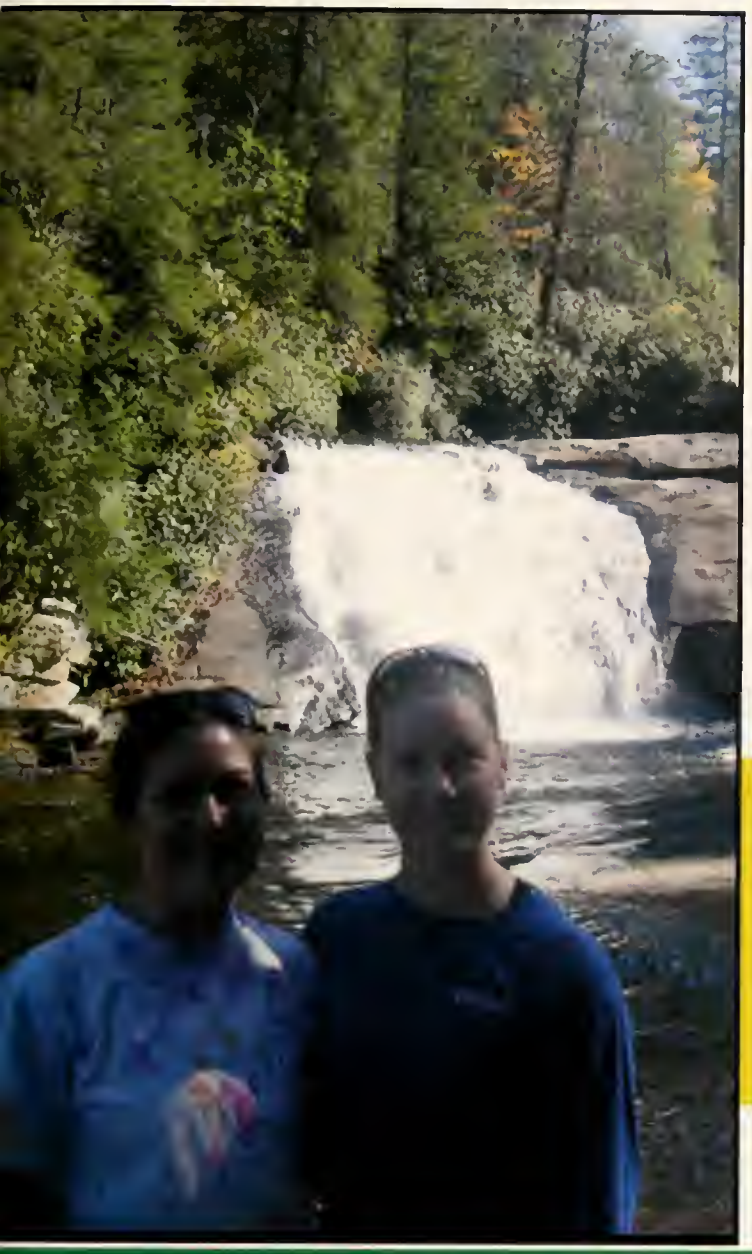
Katie O'Shields and Ali Knaack look relaxed and confident as they expertly steer a sailboat on Lake Greenwood. They called themselves the "Pirates of the Presbyterian." In September of last year, WAP took many students on a sailing trip with sailboats provided by Camp Fellowship.

BLAZING A TRAIL

A group of WAP students take a much-deserved break during their hike through DuPont Forest in North Carolina. Hiking was one of the activities that students of all experience levels could enjoy.

FREE FALL

Jessica Wood gets a rush of excitement flying as a skydiving instructor shows her how it's done. One of the many trips WAP takes for only the most adventurous outdoor enthusiasts is a skydiving outing.



CRISP AUTUMN WEATHER

Kerin Watts and Lori Garvin take advantage of a photo opportunity in front of a picturesque waterfall. In October, WAP took a day hike in DuPont Forest in North Carolina, taking advantage of the perfect time of year to observe the colors of the leaves.

ENDANGERED SPECIES

WAP members go snorkeling and curiously swim around a manatee. In the spring semester, WAP took a group to Florida to swim with the manatees. This close interaction with the gentle species helped students to learn more about the threat to manatees caused by human and boats.

The Wilderness Activity Program (WAP) is an organization designed for adventurous souls who enjoy the outdoor experience or who at least think they might be interested in the many activities WAP has to offer. This year, there were approximately seventy-five members, with Dave Besuden as the faculty advisor. All members of the PC community are invited to join in the fun, but members who pay their dues get an extra discount on trips.

The outings WAP organized covered a wide range of outdoor experience levels in order to ensure that everyone from the first-time hiker to the experienced skydiver can have an enjoyable and stimulating experience. The variety of events sponsored by WAP in the past have included skydiving, camping, hiking, white-water rafting, skiing, paintball, and swimming with the manatees. Outings may also be held in-state or out-of-state (the snow skiing trip usually took in North Carolina, while the manatee trip was in Florida). The trips always occured on the weekends or during a school holiday so they would never interfere with classes. The general monthly meetings included discussions of any upcoming trips, which usually occured about once a month, and sometimes an outdoor enthusiast was invited to talk about their personal experiences and inspirations in the outdoors.

The main purpose of WAP is to create an awareness of the outdoors and the adventures it has to offer that can develop into a lifelong appreciation of outdoor pursuits. Senior WAP member Jessica Wood said that out of the four years she has been at PC, "WAP has provided the most adventurous memories I have had and I will never forget them." As participants grow in their skill and knowledge of the value of the great outdoors, they want to share it with others, and WAP provides many great opportunities to share in the fun.

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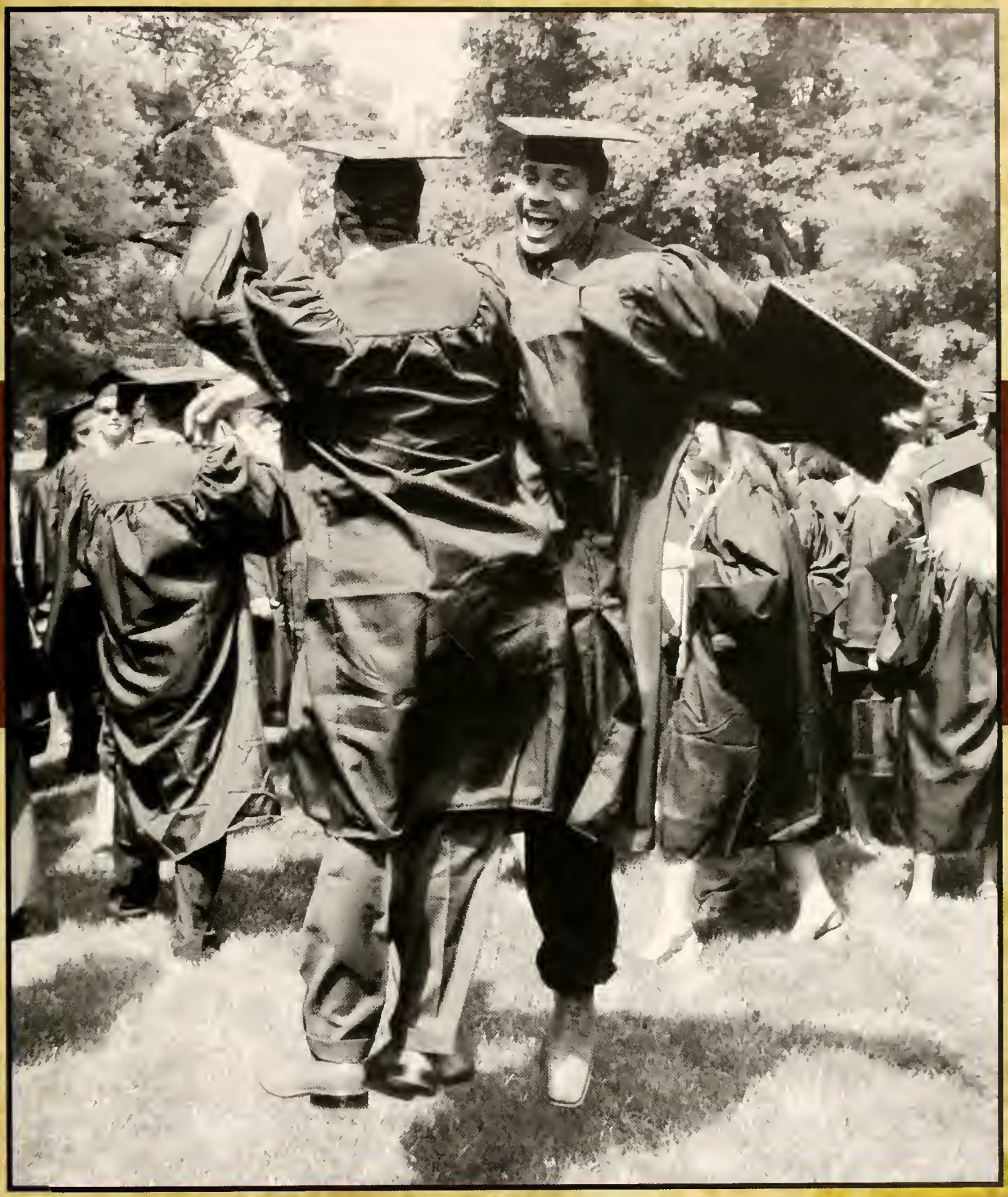
I work up early this morning, my last morning on campus. We stayed up late last night packing and spending time together one final time. Today, when we graduate and move out of the townhouse our new life will begin.

What will I take with me when I leave? My numerous hours of class knowledge, my professor's care and dedication, the loyalty of my sorority sisters, and of course millions of memories are the things that first come to mind. When I came here four years ago, I wondered if I would "make it". I don't think I just 'made it", I think I made it all mine. I have worked, cried, worked harder, made friends, excelled academically and now I am ready to face the world. PC has given me that courage.

Well, everyone else is waking up. Maybe we should head to GDH for one last bowl of cereal. Wow I really cannot believe how quickly the DAYS WENT BY.



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